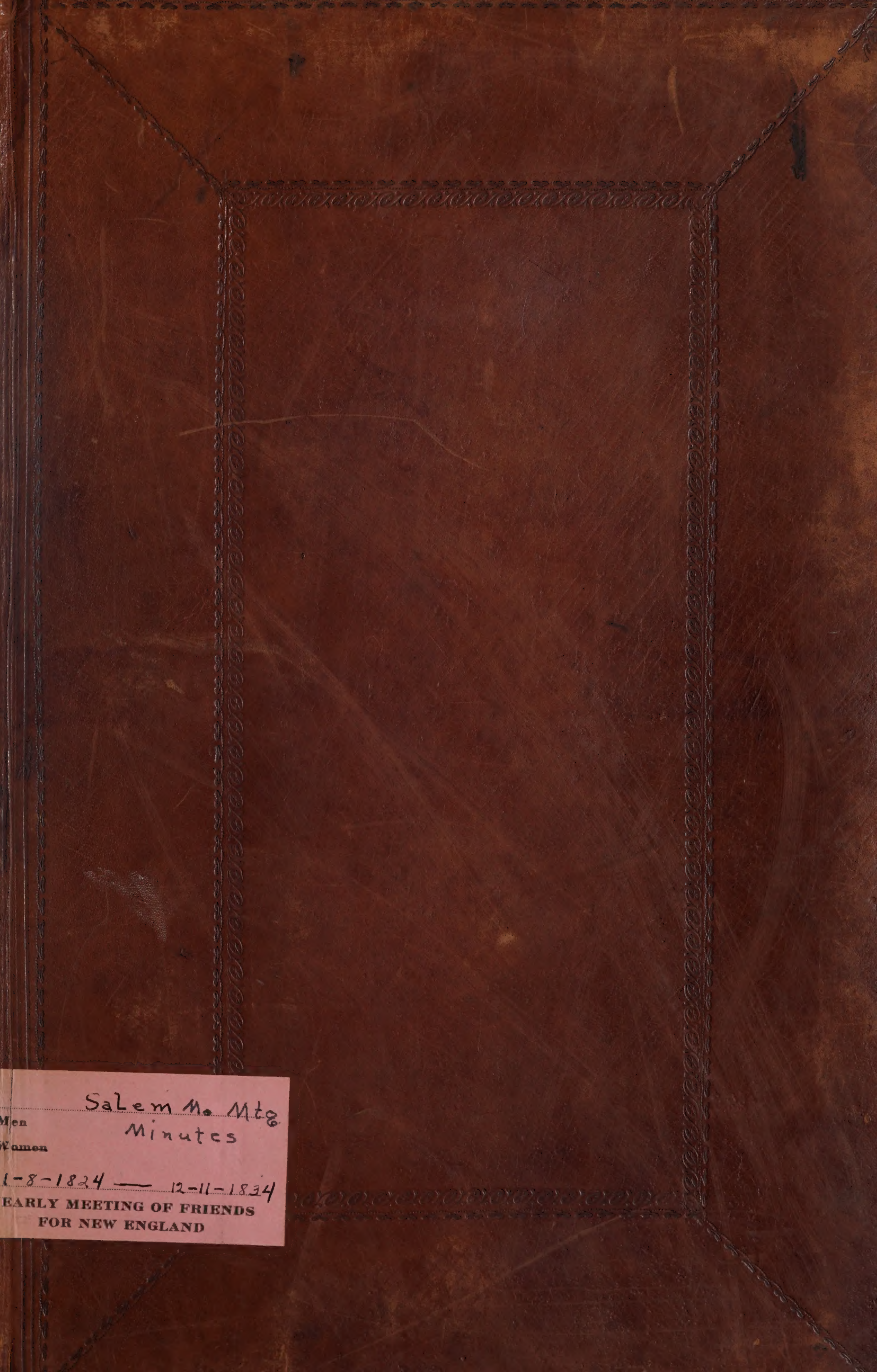

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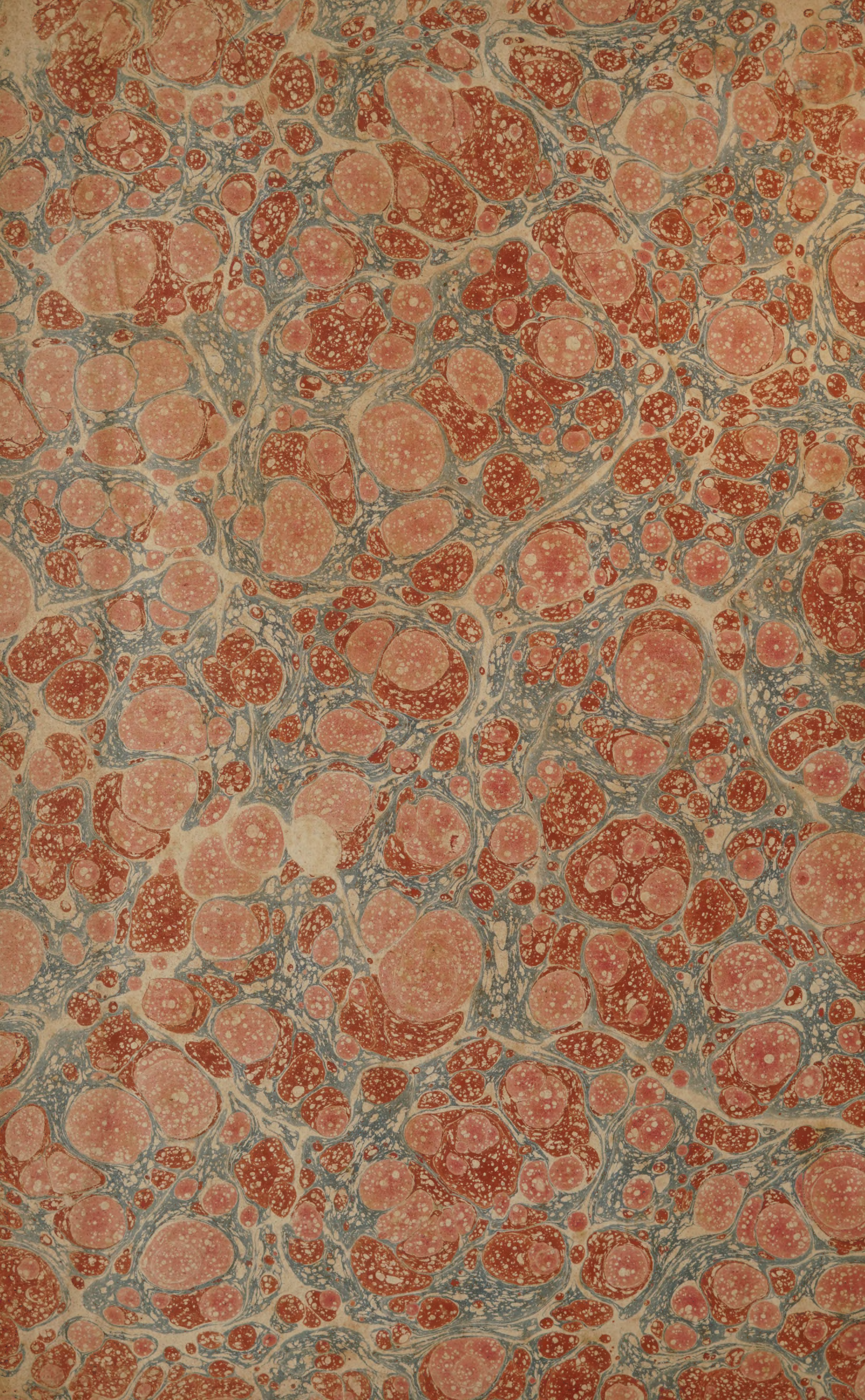

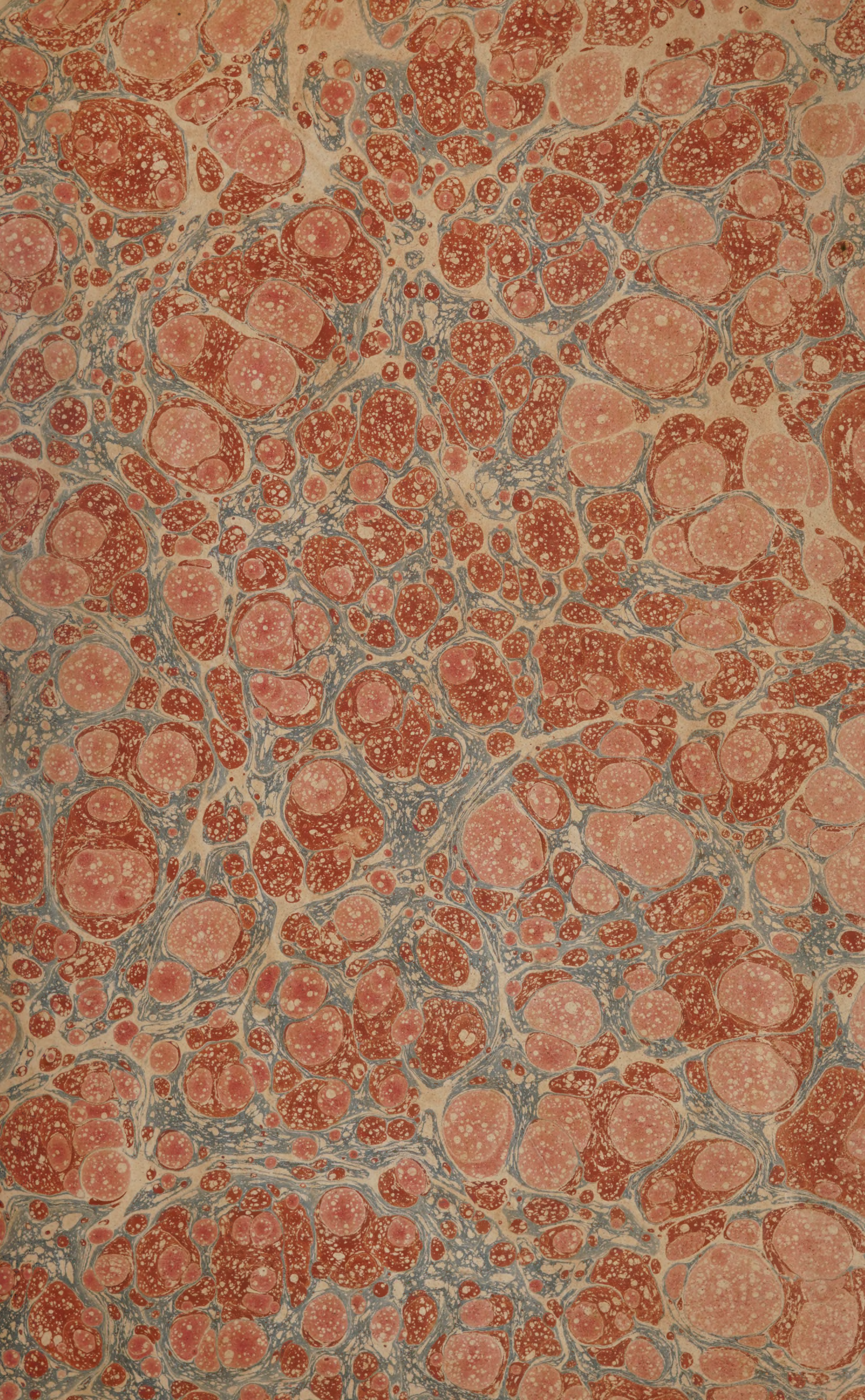

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First Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends holden at Salem 8th of First Month 1824.

The Representatives by appointment are for Salem, Squiers Shove, Jonathan Nichols & William E. Hacker; For Lynn, Stephen Oliver, Daniel Johnson, & James Purinton; who are present.

The Committee appointed last month to nominate persons for Clerks, now propose Stephen A. Chase for Clerk, and Jeremiah Hacker for assistant Clerk, which being approved, they are accordingly appointed to that service for the present year.

The Queries are read, with the required answers from our several Preparative Meetings, from which answers are prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be holden at Seabrook the 15th instant and Charles Chase, Isaac Bassett Jr., Estes Newhall & Stephen A. Chase are appointed to attend said Quarterly Meeting as representatives.

M. Collins
t liberty
t travel.

Our friend Micajah Collins informed this meeting that he had a prospect of attending the ensuing — Quarterly Meetings of Rhode Island and Smithfield and some other meetings within the limits of said Quarterly Meetings, as might appear best, which claiming our consideration, was after a time of deliberation united with, and he left at liberty to pursue said prospect as truth may open the way. He being a member of this meeting and a minister in unity with us, the Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute. —

The Committee in the case of Ebenezer Mansfield are continued.

The Committee to prepare a removal certificate

for

C. Ames Certificate — for Cyrus Ames, to Pembroke Monthly Meeting, presented one, which being read is approved & the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

The further consideration of the case of Daniel Holder and the communication from New York Monthly Meeting respecting him is continued to our next meeting

The Committee in the case of Nathan Silsbee report "that, two of them have had an opportunity with him "and they do not see any prospect of usefulness in further "waiting in his case", Which is accepted, and having the concurrence of the women's meeting, we deny him the right of membership with us, until he return and make friends satisfaction; and the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.—

N. Silsbee disowned

L. Mower Jr. & P. Carter disowned — The women inform that they have concluded to disown the membership in our society of Lydia Moor jr. and Phebe Carter with which this meeting unites.—

S. D. Breed Certificate — The Committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Friends of Philadelphia Monthly Meeting on behalf of Samuel D. Breed presented one which being read is approved and directed to be signed by the Clerk on behalf of this meeting.—

Overseers of Poor appointed — Salem Preparative Meeting having nominated Abijah Chase, Stephen Nichols, Ichabod Nichols, Daniel Osborn & Solomon Varney and Lynn Preparative Meeting having also nominated Estes Newhall, Isaac Bassett jr. Charles Chase, Daniel Johnson and James Purinton for the station of overseers, which nominations respectively being approved by this meeting they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

A complaint against Joshua Pope is received by way of Salem Preparative Meeting from the overseers

as

[illegible] as follows viz. "Joshua Pope a member of our society
against "has married a woman not a member thereof and
Joshua "out of the order of Friends; we have treated with
"him on account thereof." Signed "Abijah Chase" }
"To the Mo. Meetg 1 mo. 8th. 1824." "Stephen Nichols" } Overseers
Whereupon we appoint Henry Chase, Solomon Varney and Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on that account & report next month.–

A communication from the Preparative Meeting of Ministers and Elders is received as follows, viz.
"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Salem 8th of 1st. mo 1824
"Pelatiah & Keziah Purinton, have, we believe, through un-
"watchfulneſs, so far given way to a wrong spirit as to
"manifest disunity with those of their friends, who have
"been endeavouring to support the good order and dis-
"cipline of our Society, absenting themselves from our
"meetings for a long time – they have been repeatedly
"laboured with and endeavours used to restore them
"to unity; but without producing the desired effect,
"under these circumstances we can see no use in con-
"tinuing them in the station of Elders – by direction
"of Salem Preparative Meeting of ministers and Elders
"held at Salem 7th of 1st. mo. 1824." Signed "Isaac Baſsett pr Clk."

Margin: mmunication / ation / in / Meeting of / Ministers / & / Elders / against / Pelatiah / & K. Purint

Which being considered meets the unity of this meeting and having the concurrence of the women's meeting herein, this meeting is united in displacing Pelatiah Purinton and Keziah Purinton named in said communication from the station of Elders; and the Clerk is directed to give the neceſsary information.–

P. Coly
minute

A returning minute to Purchase Monthly Meeting on behalf of Phebe Coly companion to Deborah Howland, being prepared, the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

First Month 1824

We are informed by minutes from the Preparative Meeting of Ministers & Elders held on the 7th instant

D. Johnson
C. Chase
Elders

that, that meeting are united in proposing Charles Chase and Daniel Johnson to the station of Elders, which propositions after weighty deliberation & having the concurrence of the womens meeting are severally united with, and they accordingly appointed to that station and the Clerk is directed to give the necessary information.—

The business being closed at this time, we purpose to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.—

Second Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, holden at Lynn 12th of Second Month 1824.—

The Representatives by appointment are for Salem, Daniel Buxton and Nathaniel Watson, for Lynn, Charles Chase, Gamaliel W. Oliver & Jacob Chase; who are present.

M. Farris
present

Our friend Matthew Farris attended this meeting with a certificate from Sandwich Monthly Meeting, Massachusetts, expressive of their unity with him, in his present engagement; his company and gospel services are acceptable to us.

S. Holway
present

Our friend Stephen Holway as companion to Matthew Ferris, also acceptably attended this meeting with a certificate from Sandwich Monthly Meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.

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The Committee in the case of Ebenezer Mansfield are continued.—

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The further consideration of the case of Daniel Holder is continued to our next Monthly Meeting and the overseers of this meeting are requested to make such enquiries in the case as may seem neceſsary; and if it should appear best prepare an eſsay for an answer to the communication received from New York Monthly Meeting.

…informed

The committee to inform Nathan Silsbee of the decision of this meeting in his case, report he has been informed.

…continued

The committee in the case of Joshua Pope are continued.

W. M. Budd …certificate …returned

The removal certificate granted to William M. Budd with his wife to Vaſsalboro Monthly Meeting in the 4th month last is now returned with the following communication from that meeting viz. "To Salem Monthly Meeting;— "Received a certificate from your meeting in favour of William M. Budd and wife, they being within the limits of Leeds Monthly Meeting, the Clerk is directed to return said certificate with a copy of this minute.—From the minutes of Vaſsalborough Monthly Meeting, held 11mo. 19th. 1823." Signed "Robert Winslow, Clerk." The Clerk is therefore requested, to direct the same certificate to Leeds Monthly Meeting and forward it accordingly.—

…Tyson …rtificate …received

A certificate of removal on behalf of William Amos Tyson from Baltimore Monthly Meeting for the Western District is received; whereupon Thomas Rich and Isaac Baſsett Jr. are requested to make enquiry how he is at present

present situated, and report next month; to which time the further consideration of the subject is referred.

M. P. Mower
H. Newhall
& A. Newhall
disowned.

The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Mary P. Mower, Hulda Newhall & Anna Newhall, with which this meeting unites. -

O. Fuller
Certificate

A request having been made for a certificate on behalf of Oliver Fuller a minor son of Oliver Fuller of Lynn, who has been residing some time past in Philadelphia, we appoint James Purinton and Ezra Collins to prepare one accordingly and bring to our next meeting. -

Committee
reasr's acct.

We appoint James Breed jr, Samuel Neal, Jeremiah Hacker and Stephen A. Chase to audit the accounts of the treasurer of this meeting, and examine and settle those of the overseers of the Poor, and report the state of the treasury, together with the sum which will probably be wanted for the service of this meeting the present year to our next meeting.

The business at this time before us, being accomplished, we conclude proposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month. -

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Third Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, holden at Lynn 11th of Third Month 1824. -

The Representatives by appointment are, for Salem, Daniel Buxton & Solomon Varney, for Lynn Jonathan Boyce & Charles Chase, who are present. -

E. Mansfield
Continued.

The Committee in the case of Ebenezer Mansfield are continued. -

The communication received in the first Month, from New York Monthly Meeting respecting Daniel Holder, again claims our consideration, which is as follows viz. "At the Monthly Meeting of New York
"held on the 3d. of Twelfth Month 1823. — The Com-
"mittee appointed to visit Daniel Holder, at the re-
"quest of the Monthly Meeting of Salem, reported as
"follows: — To the Monthly Meeting. —
" We have had several satisfactory opportunities
"with Daniel Holder. — He states that his Brother
"in law, resident in Baltimore, settled with some
"of the creditors in a way, which did not meet his
"own approbation, but that the funds thus appro-
"priated, were not subject to his control: — Also that
"a few of the creditors, to a small amount, had by
"himself been fully paid, and that others had
"accepted of terms, which would be willingly ex-
"tended to all the rest: — In short that his dis-
"position is, and has uniformly been, to meet every
"demand, with the best means in his power, and on the
"ground of equality; except that Commiſsion debts are
"in his opinion entitled to the preference. — He expreſses
"the intention of paying every ballance as soon as he
"is able; and we think he manifests sincerity in
"his deep regret, for having given occasion for this
"exercise to the society. — Signed by the Committee
"A copy of the preceding report was directed to be
"forwarded to the Monthly Meeting of Salem. —
"Extracted from the minutes by (Signed) Jeremiah Thompson, clk

To which communication the overseers, agreeably to the directions of the minute of last month, have prepared an eſsay, for an answer, and the same

being considered, is approved, and directed to be
signed by the Clerk, on behalf of this meeting and
transmitted to New York Monthly Meeting: which is
as follows; viz. "To New York Monthly Meeting of Friends."
"Dear Friends — The Communication from your meeting
"in the 12th. month last respecting Daniel Holder, was
"duly received — It is satisfactory to us to learn that
"so favourable a disposition is manifested by him
"with respect to the subject complained of. — Yet we
"perceive a manifest difference between the views of
"his case, as expreſsed by him to your committee, and
"the complaint presented by the overseers of this meeting
"in that he is complained of, for not having taken
"measures, after his failure to satisfy his creditors
"agreeably to our discipline, while he profeſses that
"his disposition is, and uniformly has been to meet
"every demand with the best means in his power &
"on the terms of equality, whilst he himself admits
"that he had fully paid some of his creditors. —
"And whilst he profeſses that some creditors had been
"settled with, on terms, which, would willingly be extended
"to all the rest, we do not learn that any one is
"authorized to extend those offers to such of his creditors,
"as reside in this neighborhood. — There also
"appears to have been a mistake with respect to a
"brother in law resident in Baltimore, he not having
"such a relation in that city to our knowledge. —
"Doubts have rested on our minds, whether his profesſions,
"as stated by your committee contain such an
"acknowledgement for the subject of the complaint as
"shall maintain our testimony in the important respect
"of justice and integrity, in our dealings with our fellow-men

We

"We request your further attention to the subject, with "a hope, that from the disposition already manifested "he may be induced to pursue means to settle with "his creditors, to his own and their satisfaction, and "thereby relieve the minds of friends, and restore him "to his former standing in society, which to us, is very "desireable."—

J. Pope continued — The Committee in the case of Joshua Pope are continued.—

The certificate received last month from Baltimore Monthly Meeting, for the Western District in behalf of William Amos Tyson, being now read, and it appearing by the report of the committee appointed in the case last month, that he is residing in Boston, within our limits, the certificate is accepted.—

Fuller — The Committee to prepare a removal certificate for Oliver Fuller, a minor, to Philadelphia Monthly Meeting for the Northern District, presented one, which being read, is approved, & directed to be signed by the Clerk, on behalf of this meeting.—

Treas. accounts — The Committee to audit the Treasurer's accounts &c. report as follows viz. "Agreeably to appointment, we have audited the accounts of the Treasurer, and examined those of the overseers of the Poor, — We find a ballance in the treasury of $28-25 We find there are outstanding debts against the Monthly Meeting of $257-22 Of the money proposed to be raised last year the proportion of Salem Preparative Meeting of $192-18 is paid in. And of the proportion of Lynn Preparative Meeting of $207-82. The sum of $144-24

is—

is paid in, leaving a deficiency of $63.58
We think it necessary to raise for the service of the Monthly Meeting the present year, the sum of five hundred dollars, exclusive of the sum deficient from Lynn Preparative Meeting.— Of which the proportion of Salem Preparative Meeting will be $250.00
Lynn Preparative Meeting $250.00
And deficient last year 63.58 313.58

To the Monthly Meet^g Signed. James Breed Jr.
To be holden at Lynn Samuel Neal
11th of 3d. month 1824. Stephen A. Chase
Jeremiah Hacker } committee

Which is accepted & the several Preparative Meetings are requested to pay the treasurer of this meeting their several proportions accordingly.—

Reques
for J. and
E. R. Nichols
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A request is forwarded to this meeting from Salem Preparative Meeting from Jonathan & Elizabeth R. Nichols as follows viz. "To Salem Preparative Meeting of Friends". We feel desirous that our children, Isaiah, Lydia Proctor, and Lucy Franklin Nichols, may be admitted into membership with us, and under the care of Friends. Signed Jonathan Nichols
Salem 3d. mo 4. 1824 Elizabeth R. Nichols
Whereupon we appoint Micajah Collins, Henry Chase and Estes Newhall, to unite with such as the women's meeting may appoint, to visit them on account of their request, and report their views of the propriety of granting said request to our next meeting.—

G. Tyson
requests a
certificate

Lynn Preparative Meeting inform that George Tyson requests a certificate of removal for himself and family to Baltimore Monthly Meeting for the Western District; whereupon we appoint Thomas Rich and

Isaac Baſsett Jr. in conjunction with such as the womens meeting may appoint to make the neceſsary enquiry in the case, and if no obstruction appears prepare one & bring to our next meeting.

mplaint
against
M. Fuller

A complaint from the overseers is received by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting, respecting Joseph M. Fuller as follows viz. "Joseph M. Fuller has deviated from the good order of our society, in dreſs and addreſs, and has left the attendance of our religious meeting; and attends that of another society; and of late has joined a dancing school. He has been treated with and gives no encouragement, of conducting more consistent with our profeſsion". "Lynn 3 mo. 2nd. 1824."

"To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th inst." } Signed "James Purinton" } Overseers
"Daniel Johnson" }

Whereupon, we appoint William E. Hacker and Ezra Collins to visit and treat with him on that account and report to our next meeting.

The busineſs being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month.–

Fourth Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends holden at Salem Eighth of Fourth Month 1824

The Representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Solomon Varney & Jeremiah Hacker for Lynn Stephen Oliver & Charles Chase who are present.–

The Committee in the case of Ebenezer Mansfield report as follows viz.–

Agreeably to appointment we have visited Ebenezer Mansfield and treated with him on the subject of the complaint and endeavored to set before him the comfort & satisfaction resulting from a life of temperance as also the evils consequent on his present course of conduct & although we have long waited on him & at times with a hope of usefulness yet we now see no prospect of benifit to him or Society in further waiting

To the Monthly Meeting Signed
to be held at Salem Daniel Johnson
8th of 4Mo 1824. Estes Newhall
James Purrington } Comtee

Which after consideration is accepted & we do
E. Mansfield therefore with the concurrence of the women's
disowned. meeting deny him the right of membership with us until he shall return & make satisfaction to Friends, which is our desire for him & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.—

J. Pope The Committee in the case of Joshua Pope
continued. are continued.

The Committee appointed last month
Jonathan on the request of Jonathan & Elizabeth
& E. R. Nichols R Nichols are continued.—
continued. The committee to prepare a removal certificate for George Tyson & family to Baltimore Monthly
G. Tyson. Meeting produced one on behalf of George
Certificate Tyson with information that on examination it does not appear that his wife was ever a member of our Monthly Meeting. Which certificate being approved is directed to be signed by the Clerk on behalf of this Meeting.—

J. M. Fuller continued. The committee in the case of Joseph M. Fuller are continued.—

A complaint from the overseers respecting William Dean is received by way of Salem preparative Meeting as follows viz.—

Complaint against Wm. Dean. William Dean a member of our Society has for a long time manifested disunity with Friends & has of late left the attendance of our Meetings, he has also published his intentions of marriage out of the order of Friends & with a woman not in profession with us, he has been treated with, & we do not see any benifit that will result from further delay in forwarding his case to the meeting.—

To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Salem the 8 of 4 mo 1824, signed Abijah Chase, Stephen Nichols, Silvanus [illegible] — Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall Stephen Nichols & Silvanus [illegible] to visit & treat with him on that account & report to our next Monthly Meeting.

D. Silsbee & S. Burrill published. Lynn Preparative Meeting inform that Daniel Silsbee having laid his intentions of marriage with Sally Burrill before that meeting. They have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other. Whereupon we appoint Samuel Neal & Theophilus Breed to make the necessary enquiry into said Daniel Silsbees clearness to proceed in said marriage & report next month.—

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.—

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends holden at Lynn the 13th of 5th Mo. 1824

The Representatives by appointment are for Salem James Pope & Wm. E. Hacker for Lynn Isaac Bassett Jr Danl. Johnson & James Oliver who are present except Wm. E. Hacker.—

The Queries are read with the answers from our several Preparative Meetings from which answers are prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Salem the 27 Inst. & Danl. Johnson Wm. Frye Charles Chase Ichabod Nichols & Isaac Bassett Jr are are appointed to attend the same as our Representatives.—

The Treasurer of this Meeting is directed to pay over our proportion of Yearly Meeting Stock to the Quarterly Meetgs. Treasurer.

J. Pope disowned. The Committee in the case of Joshua Pope report as follows viz. Agreeable to appointment we have visited Joshua Pope on account of the complaint against him he acknowledges that he has deviated from our known practise in marriag. a woman not of our Society but is not willing to make any concession therefor which we submit to the Monthly Meetg.

To the Monthly Meetg. Signd.
at Lynn 13 of 5 Mo. 1824

Henry Chase
Solomon Varney
Danl. Johnson
Committee

which report after deliberation is acceptd.

& we do therefore with the concurrence of the Womens Meetg. deny him the right of membership in our Society until he shall return & make Friends satisfaction therefor which is our desire for him & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

Our Beloved Friend Micajah Collins spread before this Meeting a concern which had for some time past rested on his mind to attend the ensuing Yearly Meeting's of Friends for Ohio & Indiana & such other meetings with Friends & others in the Middle & Western States as way shall open for which con- M. Collins at liberty to travel.
cern claiming our weighty consideration he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect as truth may open the way & & sympathy is united with & our desires are for him that he may receive the care & sympathy of Friends were his lot may be cast & that when his visit & labours of love shall be accomplished he may return to his family & friends with the answer of peace he being a member of this meeting & a minister in good esteem with us. Certificate granted.

The Clerk is directed to form the substance of the above minute in a certificate & sign it on behalf of this meeting.—

J. & E. R. Nichols children received
The committee appointed on the request of Jonn. & Elizabeth R. Nichols report as follows viz Pursuant to appointment we have attended to the request of Jonn. & Elizabeth R. Nichols on behalf of their children & we see nothing against their being recd. into Membership with us agreeable to their application Signed Edward Southall Micajah Collins Hannah [illegible] Mary Chase Hannah Howe } Committee

which report is accepted & they are accordingly received as members of our Society the womens meeting uniting therewith.—

W. Bassett & M. Boyce published

Lynn Preparitive Meeting inform that Wm Bassett proposes laying his intentions of Marriage with Mary Boyce before this meeting who have accordingly appeared & declared their intention of marriage with each other & Estes Newhall & Josiah Keen are appointed to make enquiry into said Wm Bassetts clearness on that account and report at our next Meeting.—

Hannah M. & A. Phillips disownd.

The womens meeting inform they have concluded to deny the right of membership of Hannah M. & Abba Phillips with which this meeting unites.

G. Chase requests a certificate

A certifificate is requested for Gilbert Chase to Rhode Island Monthly Meeting whereupon we appoint Nathl Watson & Abijah Chase to make enquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one & bring to our next Meeting.—

The committee to inform Eben Mansfield ~~with~~having performed that service are continued.—

The committee in the case of Jos. M. Fuller are continued.—

The committee in the case of Wm [illegible] not being ready to report are continued.—

The committee to inspect into the clearness of Danl Sibley to proceed in marriage with Sally Burrill report that no obstruction appears to his proceeding therein. He is then

S. [illegible] at liberty to marry — fore at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society & Danl Johnson & Samuel Neal are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report next month.—

The business before us at this time being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn on fourth day preceding the second fifth day of the 6th Mo. ne

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Sixth Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends holden at Lynn the 9th of 6th Month 1824

The Representatives from our Preparative Meetings are for Salem Enoch Page and Henry Chase for Lynn Ezra Collins & James Breed Junr who are present.—

The Representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.—

J. Pope informed. — The Committee to inform Joshua Pope of this meetings decission in his case report he has been informed.—

Wm. Bassett at liberty to marry. — The committee appointed to enquire into the clearness of Wm Bassett on account of marriage report that nothing appears to obstruct his proceeding therein with Mary Boyce, they are therefore at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society & Josiah Neal & Daniel Johnson are appointeted to have the oversight thereof & report at our next meeting.—

The committee appointed to prepare a certificate of removal for Gilbert Chase to Rhode Island Monthly Meeting presented one which

Sixth Month 1824

G. Chase, certificate. being approved the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.—

The Committee to inform Ebenezer Mansfield of the decision of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.—

The Committee in the case of Joseph M. Fuller report as follows viz. According to our appointment we have visited Joseph M. Fuller on the subject of the complaint against him he acknowledges the justice of the charges & although he appears desirous of retaining his right in Society he manifests no disposition to condemn his conduct or make Friends satisfaction; so that we can see no benefit that will result to himself or society in waiting longer on him.—

To the Monthly Meetg. to be held at Lynn the 6th of 6th M. 1824 — Signed Wm. E. Hacker & Ezra Collins } Committee

J. M. Fuller disowned. which after consideration is accepted & therefore with the concurrence of the women's meeting we deny his membership in our society until he shall return & make Friends satisfaction & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.—

Wm. Dean continued. The committee in the case of Wm. Dean are continued.—

The committee to have the oversight of Daniel Silsbees marriage report they attended & it was conducted orderly.—

M. A. Fuller disowned. The womens meeting inform that they have concluded to disown the membership in our society of Maria A. Fuller with which this meeting concurs.

The Women inform that they have concluded to disown the membership in our society of Joanna Sprague but some concern arising in this meeting for further waiting in the case it is defferred to our next monthly meeting — J. Sprague case.

We appoint Wm E. Hacker, Isaac Bassett Jr [illegible] Nichols Charles Chase & Abijah Chase to afford such advice & assistance to our friend Micajah Collins with respect to his intended religious visit to the Western States as the case shall seem to require & report to a future Monthly Meeting—

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month.

Seventh Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Salem 8 of 7 Mo. 1824

The Representatives from our Preparitive Meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols & Abijah Chase for Lynn Daniel Johnson & Jacob Wills who are present.

The committee to have the oversight of William Bassetts marriage report they attended & that it was conducted orderly.

The committee to inform Joseph M. Fuller not having performed that service are continued.—

The committee in the case of William D report as follows viz.—

We have severally treated with William Dean, he has declined any interview with us as a committee, he justifies his proceedings and is not in a disposition to make any satisfaction for his deviations from the good order of our Society

To the Monthly Meeting of Lynn   Isaac Bassett Jr
at Salem 8th of 7m: 1824   Estes Newhall
      Stephen Nichols } Committee

W. Dean disowned — Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the Womans Meeting deny his right of membership in our Society until he shall return & make Friends satisfaction which is our desire for him & the committee are continued to inform him thereof & of his right to appeal.—

J. Sprague continued — The consideration of the case of Joanna Sprague refered from our last Monthly Meeting is again continued for the same cause.—

R. Austin disowned — The Womens meeting inform that they have concluded to deny the membership in our society of Rebecca Austin with which this meeting concurs.—

B. Breed requests a certificate — Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Benja Breed Jr requests a certificate of his clearness on account of marriage to Berwick Monthly Meeting.

Whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson & William B[illegible] to make inquiry therein [illegible] [illegible] to our next Meeting.

The business at this time before us being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next Month.—

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends
held at Lynn 12th of 8th Mo. 1824.
The Representatives from our Preparative Meet.s
are for Salem Abijah Chase jun.r Nichols &
[illegible] for Lynn Daniel Johnson &
Gamaliel W. Oliver Who are present.—
The Queries are read, with the required answers
from our several Preparative meetings from which
answers are prepared for the Quarterly Meeting
to be holden at Lynn the 19th Instant. And we
appoint Isaac Bassett Abijah Chase Ichabod
Nichols & Estes Newhall to attend the Quarterly
meeting as representatives.

J. M. Fuller informed — The Committee to inform Joseph M. Fuller of
this meetings decission in his case, report he
has been informed.

The Committee to inform William Dean of
W. Dean informed — this meetings decision in his case report he
has been informed.

The case of Joanna Sprague coming again
under consideration, this meetings conclusion
J. Sprague continued — is that the womans meeting be advised to
extend further care in the case by a committee
and they are so advised accordingly.

The Committee to prepare a certificate for
B. Breed certificate — Benjamin Breed [illegible] [illegible] of marriage,
to Berwick Monthly Meeting presented one
which being approved the Clerk is directed
to sign it on behalf of this Meeting.—

A communication from the Monthly Meeting
of New York in answer to ours of the Third
Month last respecting Daniel Holder, received
[illegible] [illegible] has now learned our

consideration & is as follows viz. At the Monthly Meeting of New York held on the fifth of fifth month 1824. The Committee appointed to visit Daniel Holder made the following report To the Monthly Meeting.—

We have visited Daniel Holder on the subject communicated by Salem Monthly Meeting under date of third month last and have received from him a statement very
Report concg. similar to that he previously made to us, and
D. Holder. which seems to apply to every part of the communication made by that meeting except that the residence of Nestor Houghton, his brother in law is stated to be in Boston instead of Baltimore, where Daniel's property was disposed of, as it consisted of goods particularly adapted to the Baltimore Market.— Daniel states that it is well known to his creditors or the most of them that the said Nestor Houghton is willing to extend to them the same terms as those on which he has settled with a part of them; and this he is willing to do on his own responsibility, as the proceeds of Daniels effects placed in his hands in trust are already exhausted. We think favourably of Daniels sincerity. New York 5 mo: 1st 1824

A copy of this report was directed to be forwarded to Salem Monthly Meeting.—

Extracted from the Minutes by
Stephen Underhill Clerk.

D. Holder And the conclusion of Friends thereupon is to
restored. accept the report contained in said communication and restore him to the privileges of Society.—

And the Clerk is directed to forward the copy of this minute to New York Monthly Meeting, with a request that they would convey the information to him.

J. Oliver, app.d to record. The friend appointed as recorder of marriages certificates, births, deaths & burials, being absent we appoint James Oliver to that service for one year.—

The business being closed at this time we conclude, adjourning to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Ninth Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends holden at Lynn 9th of 9mo. 1824

The Representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols and Nathaniel Weston for Lynn Samuel Neal & Jonathan Boyce. Who are present.

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting report they all attended.—

J. M. Boyce [illegible] requests a certificate James M. & Hannah Boyce request a removal certificate for themselves & daughter Maria to Alexandria Monthly Meeting District of Columbia whereupon we appoint Abijah [illegible] Squires Shove & Isaac Bassett Jr. to unite with a committee from the womens meeting to prepare one & bring to our next meeting.—

A. Eaton disowned. The womens meeting inform they have concluded to deny the right of membership in our society of Abigail Eaton with which this meeting unites.—

The womens meeting inform they have

J. Sprague restored. concluded to restore Joanna Sprague to the priviledges of society with which this meeting unites.—

R. Breed 3. disowned. We are informed from the womans meetg that they have concluded to deny the right of membership in our Society of Rebecca Breed 3rd with which this meetg unites.—

The business before us at this time being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month.—

Tenth Month

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, holden at Salem 14th of 10th month 1824.—

The Representatives from our several Preparative Meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols, Abner Chase & William E. Hacker; for Lynn Jonathan Boyce, and Daniel Johnson, who are all present.—

The Clerk being absent Daniel Johnson is appointed Clerk for the day.—

The Queries were read, with the required answers from our several Preparative Meetings from which answers are prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Weare the 21st instant and Abijah Chase, Estes Newhall, Jonathan Boyce & Samuel P. Johnson are appointed to attend the same as representatives

The Committee to prepare a certificate for James M. and Hannah Hosier, and their daughter Maria, presented one, which being read is approved

James M. and the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this
H. Hosier meeting and forward it to Alexandria Monthly Meeting
Certificate A communication, by way of Lynn Preparative
Meeting, was received as follows viz. "Thomas P. Rich
T. P. Rich has married, out of the order of our society with a
Complaint woman not in profession with us."

"To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Salem 14th of 10th mo. 1824" Signed "Daniel Johnson" "Isaac Bassett Jr" "James Purinton" Overseers

Whereupon, we appoint Josiah Keen & David Johnson to visit and treat with him on the subject and report to our next meeting.

A communication was also received, by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting as follows viz. "Amos Austin
A. Austin has left the attendance of our religious meetings and
complaint attends those of another society, he has been treated with and manifests no disposition to retain his right in Society." — Signed "Isaac Bassett Jr." "Daniel Johnson" "James Purinton" Overseers
"To the Monthly Meet.g to be held at Salem 14 of 10th mo. 1824"

Whereupon we appoint Charles Chase & Henry Chase to visit & treat with him on the subject and report to our next meeting..

The women inform that they have concluded
C. Breed to disown the right of membership in our society of Content
disowned Breed, with which this meeting unites. —

The women also inform that they have con-
M. Silsbee cluded to receive Miriam Silsbee into membership
received with us, with which this meeting unites. - .

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Eleventh Month 1824

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, holden at Lynn, 11th of 11th. month 1824.

The representatives appointed to attend this meeting are, for Salem Solomon Varney and Paul Buxton. For Lynn Samuel Neale, Daniel Breed and Nathaniel Walden, who are present.–

London Epistle read. The London general Epistle for 1824 has been read in this meeting to our satisfaction and encouragement.– And friends of our respective Preparative Meetings are requested to have the same read at the close of one of their first day meetings

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.–

T. P. Rich continued The committee in the case of Thomas P. Rich are continued.–

A. Austin Continued The committee in the case of Amos Austin are also continued.–

The business being closed at this time, we purpose to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.–

Twelfth Month 1824.

Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at Lynn the 9th of Twelfth month 1824.–

By accounts received from our several Preparative Meetings, the representatives are for Salem Enoch Page and Squiers Shove, Lynn Micajah C. Pratt & Jonathan Connor, who are present.–

T. P. Rich Continued The committee in the case of Thomas P. Rich are continued.–

A. Austin Continued The committee in the case of Amos Austin are continued.

Salem Preparative meeting informs that
J. Hacker Jeremiah Hacker, requests a certificate to Phil-
requests a adelphia Monthly Meeting, Southern District,
certificate We therefore appoint Abijah Chase & Nathaniel
Watson to make the neceſsary enquiry, and if
no obstruction appears, prepare one and present
to next monthly meeting, for approbation. –

This meeting is informed that Daniel Holder
D. Holder requests a certificate for himself and family to
a certificate New York Monthly Meeting, Whereupon we appoint
Isaac Baſsett Jr. and Thomas Rich to unite with
the women & make the neceſsary enquiry, and
if no obstruction appears, present one to next
monthly meeting for approbation. –

The buſineſs being closed we conclude
purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual
time next month. –

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at Salem 13th of First Month 1825.

The representatives from our Preparative Meetings are for Salem Henry Chase, Jonathan Nichols and William E. Hacker, for Lynn James Purinton, Charles Chase and Jonathan Boyce Who are present.

The time for which the Clerk was appointed having expired, Stephen A. Chase, is appointed
Clerk appoint. Clerk for this time, and Isaac Baſsett Jr. Abijah Chase, Estes Newhall, Daniel Johnson & William E. Hacker are appointed to consult some suitable persons for Clerk & aſsistant Clerk for the year ensuing, and present their names to next Monthly Meeting.—

The Queries are read with the required answers from our Preparative Meetings, from which answers are prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Seabrook the 20th instant, and we appoint our friends Estes Newhall, Henry Chase, Micajah C. Pratt, Daniel Johnson & Nathaniel Watson to attend said Quarterly Meeting as representatives

T. P. Rich continued The Committee in the case of Thomas P. Rich are continued

A. Austin continued The Committee in the case of Amos Austin are continued.

The Committee to prepare a certificate to Philadelphia Monthly Meeting for the Southern
J. Hacker certificate District, for Jeremiah Hacker presented one, which being approved, the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.—

The Committee to prepare a certificate to New York Monthly Meeting for Daniel Holder, and

Childs Benjamin, presented one which being approved
certificate the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of
this meeting.

Salem Preparative Meeting have proposed
Abijah Chase, Ichabod Nichols Jr. Solomon Varney,
Overseers Jonathan Nichols and Daniel Osborn 3d. to the
appointed station of overseers, which being approved, they
are accordingly appointed to that station for
one year. - And we appoint Isaac Baſsett Jr.
Charles Chase, Daniel Johnson, Estes Newhall
and James Purinton also to the same station
for one year, in the Preparative Meeting of Lynn.

A complaint against John Southwick
Jr. is received by way of Salem Preparative
Complaint Meeting from the overseers as follows viz. "John A
against Southwick a member of our society has for
J. Southwick some time past left the attendance of our
meetings, and has recently taken a seat in a
meeting house of another society, and does not
make any appearance of a friend either in dreſs
or addreſs, he has been spoken to, on account of
his deviation, but he has no desire to be considered
any longer a member in our society

To the Monthly Meeting. Abijah Chase
Ichabod Nichols Jun.

Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall & William
E. Hacker, to visit and treat with him on the
subject & report to next monthly meeting. —

A complaint against Nehemiah Sisson
Complaint is received by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting
against from the overseers as follows viz. "Nehemiah Sisson
N. Sisson has very much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, and we believe has for a considerable

time indulged himself in the frequent and intemperate use of Spirituous Liquors, to his own great injury, & grief of his family, he has been several times treated with, but without producing the desired effect"

"To the Monthly Meetg to be held at Salem 13th of 1st mo. 1825" } Signed "Charles Chase" } Overseers
"Estes Newhall"

Whereupon we appoint Richard Holder, David Johnson & Abijah Chase, to visit & treat with him on that account & report to next Monthly Meeting.

Our beloved friend Avis Keene, opened before this meeting a prospect which had in a weighty manner impreſsed her mind of Attending the next Quarterly Meetings of Dover and Falmouth A. Keene concern. and of appointing some meetings, within their limits as truth may open the way, which after deliberation meets the unity and approbation of this meeting She being a member hereof and a minister in unity with us, the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.— And Charles Chase, Isaac Baſsett, Jr. Nathaniel Watson, Abijah Chase, and Ichabod Nichols Jr. are appointed to take such care, and furnish such aſsistance as may be neceſsary in the case, & report.

The Clerk is directed to sign a removal certificate prepared by the womens meeting for Desire Osborn, to Elm Creek Monthly Meeting, state of Ohio

The busineſs being closed at this time, we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends holden at Lynn 10th of 2nd mo 1825

The Committee appointed at our last Monthly meeting to propose Clerks for the year ensuing, not having performed that service are continued, and Daniel Johnson is appointed as clerk for this meeting — The Representatives from our Preparative Meetings are, for Salem David Osborn and James Shove, for Lynn Thomas Rich and David Johnson who are present — The Committee in the Case of Thomas P Rich are continued. The committee in the Case of Amos Austin made the following report

"Agreeable to appointment we have visited Amos Austin on account of the complaint exhibited against him, we found him in no disposition of mind to make Friends satisfaction for his outgoings, neither does he wish to retain his right of membership in our society. We therefore think our labour is of no further use to him. All which we submit to the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 2 Mo 10th 1825

Henry Chase } Committee
Charles Chase }

Which report is accepted, and after deliberation

Austin we do with the concurrence of the Women, deny him
disowned the right of membership in our Society, until he shall return and make Friends satisfaction for his outgoings, The committee are continued to inform him hereof. — Lynn Preparative Meeting informs

Taber that Thomas Taber purposes laying his inten-
& Phillips tion of Marriage with Ann Phillips before this
published meeting, They have accordingly appeared and declared their said intentions, and are referred to an adjournment of this Meeting for an Answer

said Thomas being at a distance from home this meeting concludes to adjourn for his accommodation

The Committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbe are Continued. The committee in the case of John Southwick are Continued. The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting report they all attended. Lynn Preparative Meeting informs that John Pratt requests a certificate to Seabrook Monthly Meeting to accomplish marriage, whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson and Josiah Keen to make enquirey, and if no Obstruction appears, prepare One & present to the adjournment of this meeting for approbation

Alteration in time of holding meeting at Salem

Salem Preparative Meeting proposes the following alterations in the time of holding their first-day Meeting. Viz The morning meeting to commence from the first of 4th Mo to the last of 10th Mo at 10 o'Clock. And from 1st of 11th mo to the last of 3rd Mo at ½ past 10. The afternoon meeting from 1st of 5th Mo to the last First-day in 9th mo at 3 o'clock, and from that to the last of 4th Mo at 2 o'clock. Lynn Preparative meeting

Change at Lynn

proposes that their afternoon Meeting be continued at 2 o'clock until the 1st of 4th Mo. Which alterations meeting the approbation of this meeting are established, the women concurring herein

This meeting adjourns to the 24th instant at 11 O'Clock at this place

Second Month Continued

24th Met by adjournment. Thomas Taber having produced a Certificate from Vassalborough Monthly Meeting shewing his clearness with them to proceed in Marriage with Ann Phillips, they are therefore at liberty to proceed therein in the order of our Society, and Micajah C Pratt and Josiah Keen are appointed to have the over-sight thereof, and report at our next Monthly Meeting. The Committee appointed at our last sitting to prepare a certificate for John Pratt to Seabrook Monthly Meeting to accomplish Marriage, presented one, which being read is approved, and the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this Meeting.

This Meeting at the request of Thomas Taber appoints a Meeting at 3 OClock this afternoon for the Accomplishing of his Marriage, the womens meeting uniting herein. The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next Month.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of
Friends held at Lynn 10th of 3d mo. 1825

The Representatives by appointment are for Salem Daniel Osborn & Enoch Page Lynn Ezra Collins & James Purinton who are present —

The Committee appointed in the first
month last to propose some suitable persons
Clerks for Clerks, have at this time proposed
appointed. Samuel Johnson for clerk & Samuel Boyce
for assistant which being approved by the
meeting they are accordingly appointed to
that service for the present year —

T. Rich The Committee in the case of Thomas
continued Rich are continued —

The Committee to inform Amos Austin
A. Austin of the decision of this meeting in his case
informed. report he has been informed —

N. Silsbee The committee in the case of Nehemiah
continued Silsbee are continued —

The committee in the case of John A. Southwick presented the following report — viz Agreeably to appointment we have visited John A. Southwick on the subject of the complaint against him; he admits the justness of charges, but does not appear to see the necessity of living more conformable to our Discipline so that we see no prospect of usefulness in waiting longer on him — To the Monthly Meeting at Lynn 10th of 3d mo. 1825. Estes Newhall
Wm. E. Thacher

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do

J.A.S. – therefore with the concurrence of the women
disowned deny him the right of membership in our
Society until he shall return & make satis-
– faction for his outgoings & the committee are
continued to inform him thereof —

The Committee to have the oversight of
Thomas Taber's marriage report they attended
& that it was conducted orderly —

This meeting appoints Nathaniel Wilson,
Samuel Neall, Jonathan Nichols, & Samuel
Treas'r acct. Mower, to audit the Treasurers accounts &
auditors settle with the overseers of the poor and ascer-
-tain what money will be wanted for the
present year & report to next monthly meeting —

The women inform they have concluded
Louisa to disown the right of membership in our Society
Mower of Louisa Mower with which this meeting
disowned unites —

The business being closed at this
time we conclude, purposing to meet again
at Salem at the usual time in next month

Fourth Month 1825

At a Monthly meeting of Friends holden at Salem the 14th of 4th mo. 1825 —

The Representatives by appointment are for Salem Abijah Chase & Wm E. Hacker — for Lynn William Breed & Isaiah Chase who are present —

T. P. Rich: Continued — The Committee in the case of Thomas P. Rich are continued —

N. Silsbee continued — The Committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee are continued —

J. A. Southwick informed. — The Committee to inform John A. Southwick of this meeting's decision in his case report he has been informed —

The Committee to Audit the Treasurer's accounts & settle with the overseers of the poor not having attended to that service are continued & desired to report next month —

Daniel Silsbee complaint. — A complaint from the Overseers by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting was recd at this time against & is as follows viz — "Daniel Silsbee has so far deviated from our profession & moral rectitude as to give way to a hasty disposition in which unguarded moment he used unbecoming language & struck his Brother, on which account we have [illegible] treated with him, it appears he now sees his error therefor, acknowledges his fault & hopes he shall not give way to such a disposition in future" —

To the Monthly Meeting } Samuel Johnson
to be held at Salem 14th of 4 mo. 1825 } Isaac Bassett } overseers

Whereupon we appoint Wm E. Hacker Richard Holder & Abijah Chase to visit & treat with him on the subject of the complaint exhibited against him & report as soon as may be —

A complaint was rec^d from the Overseers by way of our Preparative Meeting against Henry Newhall as follows viz— "Henry Newhall has for a long time past been much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & also indulged himself in attending Balls & Dancing Schools, for which he had been repeatedly treated with & cautioned against, but we can see no disposition in him to refrain therefrom or otherwise to conduct himself more consistent with our Profession"—

H. Newhall complaint.

By direction & in behalf of [illegible] 4th mo 1823 } [illegible] Bassett, Daniel Johnson, James Purinton } Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Nathaniel Watson, Stephen Oliver & Jehabod Nichols to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to next Monthly meeting—

D. Johnson Jr. requests a certificate

Our Preparative Meeting informs that Daniel Johnson Jr. requests a certificate to Richmond Monthly Meeting to accomplish marriage; we therefore appoint [illegible] & [illegible] Bassett to make the necessary inquiry respecting his clearness on that account among us & if no obstruction appears, prepare one & present to next Monthly meeting for approbation—

A report was rec^d from the women at this time relative to a request of Eunice Thompson for her children's being received into membership with us for the [illegible] children [illegible] & Lydia B. Thompson which was presented to our meeting in the 11th mo 1821 & accepted by the womens meeting at that time but deferred by this meeting for some cause, & the uncommon occurences of that time which by reference to the minutes of that period will shew & we believe was the cause of omission. It is now accepted & is as follows. viz— "Agreeable

Report rec^d E. Thompson's request

in appointment we have several times visited Emma Thompson in respect to her request to have her children rec.d members of our Society –

She still appears desirous to have them rec.d members and we believe is willing & intends to bring them up in conformity to our principles & to instruct them therein, to which her Husband does not object but rather seems to promote – we do not see any thing in this case to hinder their being rec.d if it is thought best to receive children so young" – On behalf of the

E. Thompson's children received.

to the Monthly meeting of Women
held at [illegible] 11 mo. 9th 1821 } the committee
Esther Newhall
Elizabeth Rogers

they are therefore rec.d into Membership with us & Esther Newhall is desired in conjunction with the women to give the necessary information –

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month

Fifth Month 1825

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn the 12th of 5th mo. 1825 —

The representatives are for Salem Abijah Chase, Wm E. Hacker & Enoch Page — Lynn Isaac Bassett, Jr., Estes Newhall & Gamaliel W. Oliver who are present —

The Queries were read & answers thereto from our several Preparative meetings from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 26th instant & Wm Frye, Wm E. Hacker, Estes Newhall, James Purinton, & Samuel Johnson are appointed to attend the same as representatives —

P. Rich continued — The committee in the case of Thos. P. Rich are continued —

Silsbee continued — The committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee are continued —

eport o Commi to Audit Accounts. — The committee to Audit the Treasurer's accts & settle with the overseers of the poor presented the following report viz — "Agreeable to appointment we have Audited the Treasurer's accounts & settled with the overseers of the Poor & find that each Preparative meeting have paid into the treasury their proportions of money as directed last year viz —

	$ cts
Lynn for a ballance deficient last year —	63,58
Proportion of money directed to be raised from Lynn	250,00
Proportion of money directed to be raised from Salem	250,00
Ballance in the Treasury on last years settlement	28,25
Interest recd. of E. Newhall & cash of N Jones -	34.61
Making the whole amount of receipts by the monthly meeting — —	$626,44

which has been expended as follows viz

Fifth Month Continued

	$ Ct.
For supplies to the poor by order of overseers	588,44
For our proportion of Yearly Meeting stock	32,00
Cash paid H. Chace for book of records	6,00
making the whole amount of expenses paid last year	$626,44

There is now a Bill exhibited against the monthly meeting unpaid of 97 Dols 84 cts

The Committee think it expedient to raise for the expenses of the monthly meeting the present year 500 Dols

To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 12th of 5 mo 1823"

Jonathan Nichols
Nathl Watson
Samuel Boyce
Samuel Neal
Committee

which is accepted & the Preparative meetings are directed to pay their several Proportions to the Treasurer of this meeting

Committee continued. The committee in the case of Daniel Silsbee are continued

[illegible] continued. The committee in the case of Abner Newhall are continued

D. Johnson certificate. The committee to prepare a certificate for Daniel Johnson Jr to accomplish marriage presented one which was read & approved & the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting

E. Thompson informed. The committee to inform Eunice Thompson of the reception of her children into membership report she has been informed

Complaint against J. S. Frye. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting was recd & is as follows viz "Joseph S Frye a member of our society has for some time past left the attendance of our meetings & of late has attended that of another society; his dress & address not conform-ing with our profession; he has been treated with on account thereof but it has not had the desired effect —

To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 12th of 5 mo. 1825" — Abijah Chase
Daniel Osborn — overseers

Whereupon we appoint Nathaniel Watson & James Purinton to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to our next meeting —

A complaint by way of Salem Preparative meeting was recd. at this time & is as follows

Complaint agt. James Needham — "James Needham a member of our Society has for a long time left the attendance of our meetings & has suffered his mind to become alienated from Society & joined himself to those that are endeavoring to lay waste & destroy our order & discipline; we have long waited upon him & much tender advice & council has been given him but all without producing any effect —

To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 12th of 5th mo. 1825 — Abijah Chase
Jonathan Nichols
Solomon Varney

Whereupon we appoint Isaac Bassett Jr. Estes Newhall & Jonathan Nichols to treat with him on the subject as therein stated & report as soon as may be —

A complaint was also recd. from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative Meeting as follows —

Complaint agt. J. Buxton Jr. — "Joseph Buxton Jr. of Salem a member of our Meeting has for a long time neglected the attendance of our meetings & has deviated much from the rules of our Society & has lately joined the military & bore arms; he has been spoken to on this account —

To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 12th of 5th mo. 1825 — Jonathan Nichols
Daniel Osborn — overseers

whereupon we appoint Richard Holder, James Pope & Jonathan Boyce to treat with him on the subject & report to next monthly meeting —

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting was recd & is as follows viz— "Samuel Breed hath for some time past (we believe) indulged himself in the frequent & intemperate use of spirituous liquors, on which account we have several times treated with him but can see no prospect of amendment —

Complaint against S. Breed.

To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 12th of 5th mo 1825" —

James Purinton
Isaac Bassett Jr
Estes Newhall
Overseers

whereupon we appoint Richard Nichols, Henry Chase & Wm. E. Hacker to visit & treat with him on the subject herein stated & report at next meeting —

The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Abigail P. Webb with which this meeting unites —

P. Webb disowned.

Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Paul W. Newhall requests a certificate of removal to Philadelphia monthly meeting, whereupon we appoint James Oliver & Stephen Oliver to make the necessary inquiry respecting him & if no obstruction appears, prepare one & present to our next meeting —

Newhall requests a certificate.

Lynn Preparative meeting also informs that Daniel Osgood requests a certificate to Bolton Monthly Meeting, whereupon we appoint Isaiah [illegible] & Aaron L. Holder to make the necessary inquiry respecting him & if no obstruction appears prepare one & present to next monthly meeting —

D. Osgood requests a certificate.

Fifth Month Continued

The Treasurer of this meeting is directed to pay our proportion of Yearly meeting Stock to the Treasurer of that meeting.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn on Fourth Day before the second Fifth Day in next month.

Sixth Month.

[illegible] Monthly [illegible] held [illegible] [illegible] 1820. The representatives are pre [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] & [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] are present.

T. P. Rich continued are — The committee in the case of Thomas P. Rich continued.

N. Silsbee continued are — The committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee continued.

D. Silsbee continued are — The committee in the case of Daniel Silsbee continued.

The committee in the case of Abner Newhall made the following report. Viz. "We have visited Abner Newhall on account of the complaint & would admonish him, & find him disposed to justify himself in all his deviations from the order of our society. We would cheerfully recommend further waiting on him if we could see any prospect of usefulness by the delay."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held [illegible] 6th mo. 1820." — "Stephen Oliver" "Nathl Hall"

A. Newhall disowned — which report is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the Womens meeting deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

J. S. Dye continued. The committee in the case of Joseph S. Dye are continued.

J. Needham continued. The committee in the case of James C. Needham are continued.

J. Buxton Jr. continued. The committee in the case of Joseph Buxton Jr. are continued.

S. Breed. Continued. The committee in the case of Samuel Breed are continued.

P. W. & Y. certificate. The committee to prepare a removal certificate for Paul W. C. Newhall presented one which was read & approved & the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

D. Osgood. certificate. The committee to prepare a certificate of removal for Daniel Osgood presented one which was read & approved & the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

J. Osborne 2nd certificate accepted. A certificate of removal from [illegible] Monthly Meeting for [illegible] from [illegible] was read & accepted.

Complaint vs. S. Batts. The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] complaint against Samuel [illegible] was read [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Samuel [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] another society, we have treated with him on the subject, he manifests no disposition to be considered any longer a member of our society."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn [illegible] of [illegible] mo. 1825" — "[illegible] Newhall", "Daniel [illegible]", "[illegible] Buxton Jr." Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Elijah Chase & Ichabod [illegible] to treat with him on the subject & report to our next meeting.

A Complaint from the Overseers [illegible] [illegible]

B. Hood complaint. Preparative meeting informs, Benjamin Hood was re- [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that he hath [illegible] the attendance of our religious meetings, & joined himself with another society, [illegible]

"[illegible] [illegible] 6th mo. 1825." {"Daniel [illegible]
"James Purinton}

whereupon we appoint Richard Holder & Daniel Chase to treat with him on the subject & report to our next meeting.

The business being closed we conclude [illegible] [illegible]

Seventh Month.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 4th of 7th mo. 1825.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem William Frye & [illegible] [illegible], for Lynn Wm. Breed & Walter Phillips who are present.

D. Ellis. certificate accepted. A certificate of removal from [illegible] meeting in favour of David Ellis was read & accepted.

T. P. Rich. continued. The committee in the case of Thos. P. Rich are [illegible]

[illegible] continued. [illegible] inform that they have attended to their appointment [illegible]

[illegible] continued. The committee in the case of Daniel [illegible] are continued.

J. Phillips disowned. The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Judith Phillips with which this meeting unites.

They also inform they have accepted the request of Miriam [illegible] & admitted her children members of Society with which this meeting concurs.

The committee in the case of Joseph G. Pine made the following report viz. "We have treated with Joseph G. Pine on account of the complaint exhibited against him; he informed us that he had wholly left the attendance of our [illegible] that of another society; He manifested no disposition to return to friends, or otherwise to be continued longer in membership with us. We believe he has left society with his mind friendly [illegible]"

"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Salem 14th of 11th mo. 1825 } James [illegible] Nath. Watson

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore [illegible]

J. G. Pine disowned. the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

J. Needham continued. The committee in the case of James Needham [illegible].

The committee in the case of Joseph [illegible] presented the following report viz. "To the Monthly meeting to be held at Salem; According to appointment we have treated with Joseph [illegible]

[illegible]

us that further service from us would be of no use."
All which we submit."
Signed — "Richard Holder"
"Jonathan Chase"

[illegible]

J. Buxton disowned. with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society & the committee are con[illegible] to give him the necessary information.

S. Breed continued. The committee in the case of Samuel Breed are continued.

The committee in the case of James Pratt presented the following report viz: "One of us have visited James Pratt on account of the information by the [illegible]

J. Pratt disowned. of mind, having joined himself to another society & do not see any use in further treating on him" "to the monthly meeting."
Signed "Micajah Chase"
"Nathaniel Niles"

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right [illegible] to give him the necessary information.

B. Hood continued. The committee in the case of Benj. Hood are continued.

A. Newhall informed. The committee continued to inform Abner Newhall of the decision of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

J. Oliver [illegible] certificate. [illegible] with their marriage; whereupon [illegible] Isaac Bassett [illegible]

[illegible]

us & of no obstruction appears we have [illegible] & present to our next monthly meeting.—

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.—

Eighth Month.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 8th mo. 1825.—

The representatives from our several Preparative meetings are for Salem, Ichabod Nichols, Nathaniel Watson & Abijah Chase; for Lynn Isaac Bassett Jr. & Samuel Neal who are present.—

The Queries have been read with the required answers [illegible] from which a Summary is prepared for [illegible] to be held at Lynn the 18th Instant & Henry Chase Ichabod Nichols, Estes Newhall Squires Shove & Stephen Oliver are appointed to attend the same as representatives.—

M. Collins certificate returned. Our beloved friend Micajah Collins returned at this time his certificate granted him in the 5th mo. 1824 with an endorsement from Ohio Yearly Meeting [illegible] from several Quarterly & Monthly meetings where his lot has been cast, all expressive of their [illegible]

S. P. [illegible] Cont.d The committee in the [illegible] are continued.—

[illegible] [illegible]

Eighth Month Continued

continued. [illegible] are continued.

C. Silsbee continued. The Committee in the case of Daniel Silsbee are continued.

J. Needham continued. The Committee in the case of James C. Needham are continued.

The committee continued to inform Joseph [illegible] of the decision of this meeting in his case not having done it are continued.

J. Buxton Jr. informed. The committee continued to inform Joseph Buxton Jr of the decision of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

S. R. contd. The committee in the case of Samuel Reed are continued.

The committee to inform Samuel Pratt of the decision of this meeting in his case not having performed it are continued.

The committee in the case of Benjamin Hood presented the following report viz. "One of the committee has had an opportunity with Benjamin Hood; he refused to give them any opportunity of treating with him on account of his leaving our meetings; we think there is no use in waiting longer on him." Signed. "Richard Fletcher" "[illegible] Chase"
To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn 8th mo. 11th 1825."

B. Hood disowned. which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Lois Southwick with which this meeting concurs.

L. Southwick disowned.

The committee [illegible]

Eighth Month (August

J. Oliver [illegible]

Certificate. [illegible] read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

A communication from Baltimore Monthly meeting for the western district was received at this time & is as follows, viz.

"To [illegible]

Dear Friends.

This meeting being informed

Complaint. that George Tyson who resides within your limits

G. Tyson. had had his marriage accomplished contrary to the order of our Society. The clerk is directed to forward this information to your meeting requesting it to treat with him on our behalf.

Extracted from the minutes of Baltimore Monthly meeting for the western district & [illegible] by adjournment thereof the 5th Day of 7th mo [illegible]

By Benjn P. Moore Clk"

whereupon we appoint Stephen Oliver & Isaac [illegible] and report to this meeting when accomplished.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Pipe at the usual time in next month.

[illegible] [illegible] meeting of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 1825

[illegible] Representatives [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Preparative meetings are for Salem Edward Page & James Pope for Lynn Gamaliel W. Oliver & Isaac Chase who are present.

T. Neal continued. The committee in the case of Thos Neal are continued.

N. [illegible] continued. The committee in the case of [illegible] [illegible] are continued.

[illegible] Fisher continued. The committee in the case of [illegible] Fisher are continued.

Jo. Needham continued. The committee in the case of James C Needham are continued.

S. Read continued. The committee in the case of Samuel [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to report are continued.

J. S. Page informed. The committee continued to inform Joseph S. Page of the decision of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

J. Pratt informed. The committee to inform James Pratt of the decision of this meeting in his case report he had been informed.

The committee to inform Benjamin Hood of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] not been informed & they are therefore continued.

[illegible] continued. [illegible] continued.

The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] report that [illegible] attended.

[illegible] Lynn Preparative meeting informed that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] who have according [illegible] published.

[illegible] [illegible] monthly meeting [illegible] [illegible] Elijah Chace [illegible] to make the necessary inquiry into [illegible] [illegible] on that account, & report [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] that
S. Coolidge & J. Reed published. [illegible] Coolidge a member of [illegible] monthly meeting having his intentions of marriage with Judith Reed [illegible] [illegible] & declared their intentions of marriage with each other. & they are referred to next monthly meeting for an answer.

[illegible] requests a certificate. [illegible] [illegible] monthly meeting [illegible] we appoint Wm C. Barton and Elijah Chase to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare [illegible]

The business being closed we conclude further [illegible] month.

[illegible] Friends held at Salem [illegible]

[illegible] meetings are in [illegible] Henry Chase & Daniel Buxton for [illegible] Samuel Purinton & Daniel [illegible] who are [illegible]

The Queries were read in this meeting & the answers [illegible] a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at [illegible] the [illegible] instant & [illegible] Chase, [illegible] Jane [illegible] & Enoch [illegible] are appointed to attend [illegible]

The Committee in the case of Thomas P. Rich presented the following report, viz. "[illegible] ment we have had an opportunity with Thos. P. Rich [illegible] not he does not feel the necessity [illegible] [illegible] meetings of another Society & seldom attends those of our own, we do not see that it will be useful to wait longer on him." signed "[illegible]"
"To the Monthly at Salem" "Charles Chase"
[illegible]

T. P. Rich disowned — which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the Committee are [illegible] to give him the needful information.

[illegible] continued. — The Committee in the case of [illegible] continued.

[illegible] continued. — The Committee [illegible] continued.

The Committee [illegible]

[illegible] continued. are continued.

S. Reed continued. The committee in the case of Samuel Reed are continued.

B. Reed informed. The committee continued to inform Benjamin Reed of the decision of this meeting in his case report he had been informed.

[illegible] continued. The committee in the case of [illegible] are continued.

S. Rich at liberty to marry. The committee to make inquiry into Samuel Rich's clearness in respect to marriage report they find nothing to obstruct, he is therefore at liberty to proceed in marriage with Eunice Reed in the order of our society & [illegible] & [illegible] Reed are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

This meeting at the request of Samuel Rich adjourns a meeting tomorrow at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of the accomplishment of his marriage the women meeting concurring.

S. Coolidge at liberty to marry. [illegible] Coolidge having produced a certificate from [illegible] monthly meeting of women of her clearness with [illegible] on account of marriage, she is therefore at liberty to proceed therein with [illegible] Reed in the order of our Society & Samuel [illegible], & Stephen Oliver are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to next monthly meeting.

The committee [illegible] monthly meeting for Samuel [illegible] are continued.

S. B. Johnson requests a Certificate. Salem Preparative meeting inform that Samuel B. Johnson requests a certificate [illegible] appears present one to next month's meeting.

Complaint vs. J. Chase — A complaint from the overseers by way of [illegible] was received at this time & is as follows, viz. "Jacob Chase a member of our society has left the attendance of our religious meetings & has joined another society; he has been treated with, but manifests no disposition to be considered any longer a member of our society."

"To the monthly meeting to be } "Daniel [illegible]"
held at Salem 10th of 10th mo. 1825 } "James [illegible]"

[illegible] Daniel [illegible] & Stephen [illegible] to visit & treat with him on the [illegible] & report to a future meeting.

Complaint vs. [illegible] — A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem preparative meeting [illegible] as follows, viz. "William Fish has so far deviated from the order of our society & moral rectitude (we believe) as to [illegible] profane swearing, & the intemperate use of ardent spirits; he has left the attendance of our religious meetings [illegible]."

"To the monthly meeting to be } "Elias [illegible]"
held at Salem [illegible] } "Daniel [illegible]"
"Isaac [illegible]"

[illegible] Daniel [illegible], [illegible] [illegible]

Complaint vs. S. [illegible] — A complaint from the overseers by way of [illegible] was received at this time & is as follows, viz. "Stephen [illegible] has so far deviated from [illegible] attendance of our religious meetings, & has joined [illegible]

[illegible] in their [illegible], & we desire [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] taught in Society."

"To the Meeting [illegible] to be held at Salem [illegible]" [illegible]
[illegible] Bassett
Daniel Johnson
[illegible] [illegible]
overseers

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] & Isaac Bassett [illegible] to visit & treat with him on the subject [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

E. Collins. copy of minute. Ezra Collins having gone to [illegible] expects to reside a few months on business requests a certificate shewing his right of membership in our Society; we [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

The business being closed we conclude proposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eleventh Month

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held in Lynn the 10th of 11th mo. 1825.

The representatives from our several Preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Osborn & Nathaniel Pillsbury for Lynn Samuel C. Neal & [illegible] all were present.

T. L. [illegible] informed. The Committee to inform Thomas L. [illegible] the decision of this meeting in his case report he had been informed.

B. Silsbee continued. The committee in the case of Benjamin Silsbee are continued.

D. [illegible] continued. The committee in the case of Daniel [illegible] are continued.

S. Needham continued. The Committee in the case of Samuel Needham are continued.

S. Breed continued. The committee in the case of Samuel Breed are continued.

G. Tyson continued. The committee in the case of George Tyson are continued.

The committee to have the oversight of Thomas [illegible] marriage report they attended & it was conducted orderly.

The committee to have the oversight of [illegible] Coolidge's marriage report they attended & it was conducted orderly.

[illegible] Pope certificate. The committee to prepare a certificate to [illegible] Monthly meeting for [illegible] produced one which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

S. B. Johnson certificate dismissed. The committee to prepare a Certificate to Seabrook Monthly meeting for Samuel B. Johnson to accompany [illegible] had not prepared one & the subject is dismissed.

J. Chase Jr. continued. The committee in the case of Jacob Chase Jr. are continued.

Wm. Rich. continued. The committee in the case of William Rich [illegible].

S. N. Breed continued. The committee in the case of Stephen N. Breed are continued.

complaint of E. Collins Jr. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting was received at this time [illegible] as follows viz: "Ezra Collins Jr. hath so far departed from the principles & order of our Society as to bear arms in the training band for which he has been treated with but does not condemn it."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 16th of 11th mo." 1825

"Ichabod Nichols"
"Solomon Varney"
"Daniel [illegible]"

[illegible] Nichols & Josiah [illegible] to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to our next meeting.

J. Buxton requests a Certificate. Salem Preparative meeting inform that John J. Buxton requests a certificate to [illegible] Monthly meeting to accomplish marriage; we therefore appoint Daniel [illegible] & Squire [illegible] to make the necessary inquiry [illegible] present one to next monthly meeting.

S. Johnson requests a certificate for S. C. J. [illegible] monthly meeting for his son Samuel C. Johnson [illegible] & Charles [illegible] to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears present one to next monthly meeting.

The representatives to our last [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] attendance.

The business being closed we conclude our sitting to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month

Twelfth Month

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held on the 1st of twelfth month 1825

The Representatives from our Preparative Meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols, and William C. Hacker, for Lynn Jonathan Bowen and Richard Holder, who are present

[illegible] Wilson continued. The Committee in the case of [illegible] Wilson of [illegible] have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report are continued.

D. Wilson continued The Committee in the case of Daniel Wilson are continued.

Our beloved Friend Susanna K. Smith attended

S. K. Smith present. this Meeting with [illegible] ~~from~~ the monthly and [illegible] meetings of Wilmington New Castle whose company and services have been acceptable to us

Also our Friend Susanna Newbold companion

S. Newbold present to Susanna K. Smith with a copy of a minute from Upper Springfield monthly Meeting whose company has been acceptable

[illegible] present Also our Friend [illegible] [illegible] in company with the above said Friends attended this Meeting with a copy of [illegible] from [illegible] Monthly Meeting their company has been acceptable.

The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to disown the right of membership in our [illegible]

M. J. Collins disowned. [illegible] which the women's meeting concurs.

J. Needham Continued. The Committee in the case of James Needham are continued.

The committee in the case of Samuel Breed presented the following report viz.

We have visited Samuel Breed several times, at our first interview there seemed a prospect of reformation, but at this time the prospect is banished by his repeating that baneful practise for which he is complained of, Therefore we see no use to him or society to wait longer on him,

all of which we submit to the monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 8th of 12th mo 1825 } Ichabod Nichols, Henry Chase, William E Hacker } Committee

S. Breed disowned. which is accepted and we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society and the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

G. Tyson continued. The committee in the case of George Tyson are continued.

The committee in the case of Jacob Chase jr presented the following report viz.

We have had an interview with Jacob Chase jr on the subject of complaint brought against him; he manifests no disposition to be continued a member with us; and we find no encouragement for further labour with him.

To the monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn 8th of 12th m 1825 — [illegible] }
Stephen Oliver }

Which is accepted and we do therefore with the concurrence of the women denie him the right of membership in our society and the committee are continued to give him the necessary information

J. Chase Jr. disowned.

The committee in the case of William Rich are continued

Wm. Rich continued.

The committee in the case of Stephen Wood presented the following report Agreeably to appointment (we have) have treated with Stephen Wood on account of the complaint exhibited against him; he justifies his proceedings and manifests no disposition to be continued in membership with us, or longer waited on, we can see no use in extending further labour

To the monthly meeting to be held at [illegible] 8th of 12 mo 1825 — [illegible] Jr, Richard [illegible] } committee

Which is accepted; and we do therefore with the concurrence of the women denie him the the right of membership in our society; and the committee are continued to give him the necessary information,

S. Wood disowned.

The committee to prepare a certificate to Weare monthly meeting for John Buxton Jr to accomplish marriage presented one which being read and approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

J. Buxton Jr to certificate

The committee to prepare a Certificate [illegible] monthly meeting, presented one which being read and approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

[illegible] certificate

[illegible] requests a certificate of removal for himself and

Twelfth Month continued

M. Buxton's request a removal certificate. [illegible] [illegible] inclination appears to prepare one and present at our next monthly meeting.

Complaint vs. Phillips Chase. A [illegible] from the [illegible] of Lynn Preparative meeting against Phillips Chase was received and is as follows, Phillips Chase has for some time past we believe, indulged himself in the frequent and intemperate use of ardent Spirits, to the great grief of his friends; he has been treated with, but there appears no prospect of amendment.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 8th of 12 mo 1825 } Daniel Johnson, Estes Newhall, Clerks

whereupon we appoint Jonathan Brice and Nathaniel Hatson to visit and treat with him on the subject, and report as soon as may be;

The committee in the case of Ezra [illegible] are continued.

The business being closed, we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

[illegible] Month 18[illegible]

At our Monthly meeting of Friends held [illegible] [illegible] 1860 — [illegible] [illegible] Peleg, Jonathan Nichols, & Elbridge Chase [illegible] [illegible] Charles Chase & Isaac Bassett [illegible] who are [illegible] — The time having expired [illegible] the as clerk [illegible] as assistant [illegible] —

The [illegible] were read in this meeting with the [illegible] Quarterly meeting to be held at Saybrook the [illegible] instant and Enoch Page, [illegible], [illegible] Chase & Isaac [illegible] are appointed to attend the same as representatives —

N. Tilson continued. The committee in the case of [illegible] [illegible] are continued —

The committee in the case of [illegible] presented a report as follows viz. "Agreeable to appointment [illegible] on account of the [illegible] [illegible] and being willing [illegible] to condemn his conduct in [illegible] [illegible] we [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in his next [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible]"

"[illegible]"

[illegible] "[illegible] [illegible]"

[illegible] restored. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The committee in the case of [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] visited & treated with James C. Needham on account of the complaint exhibited against him; [illegible] death, is not sufficient [illegible] he [illegible] not longer continue.

[illegible]

J. Needham disowned — The meeting with the concurrence of the womens [illegible]

S. Breed informed — The committee continued to inform Samuel [illegible] of the decision of this meeting in his case [illegible]

[illegible] Breed informed. — The committee [illegible] Breed [illegible] informed.

G. Tyson continued. — The committee in the case of George Tyson are continued.

One of the committee in the case of Wm. [illegible] reported that they had been with him [illegible] that he manifested no disposition to retain his right in society & no desire to be treated [illegible]

Wm. Rich. disowned — [illegible]

[illegible] committee [illegible]

S. Buxton Jr. meeting [illegible]
Certificate & the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

The committee in the case of Ezra Collins Jr presented the following report, viz "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Ezra Collins Jr on account of the complaint brought against him, & do not find him in such a disposition as to make any satisfaction for his transgressions; but he fully justifies his outgoings; therefore we see no use in any further labour"

"To the Monthly meeting at } "Abijah Chase".
Salem 12th of 1st mo 1826" } "Ichabod Nichols",

Which is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in
E. Collins Jr. disowned our Society & the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

P. Chase continued The Committee in the case of Phillips Chase are continued.

L. Needham & Re. Hay. disowned The women inform that they have denied the right of membership in our society of Lydia Needham with which this meeting unites; Also of Rebecca Hay, with which this meeting unites.

Complaint against J. Keene A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting against Josiah Keene was received at this time & is as follows viz "Josiah Keene some months since went away in rather a clandestine manner & has been from place to place & is now we believe in a remote part of the United States without the limits of any particular Monthly meeting. Prior to which he became embarrassed in his circumstances leaving his creditors much dissatisfied & carrying property with him; he was also accused of [illegible]

First Month Continued

absented himself without giving any satisfaction for conduct so unbecoming to himself & grievous to his friends & Parents."

To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 12th of 1st mo. 1826 }

Charles Chace
James Purinton
Daniel Robinson
[illegible]
Isaac Basset

Overseers

J. Keene, disowned

And this meeting taking into view the offence with the remote situation of the person do with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make satisfaction for his outgoings.

Overseers reappointed

The same Friends who stood in the station of overseers last year are appointed to that service for the year ensuing.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Second Month 1826

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 2nd mo. 1826.

The representatives from our several Preparative Meetings are, for Salem Jonathan Nichols & David Osborn, for Lynn William Breed & Walter Phillips who are present.

N. Silsbee continued — The Committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee are continued.

J. Needham informed. — The Committee continued to inform James Needham of the decision of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee continued to inform Daniel Silsbee of the conclusion of this meeting in his case not having performed it are again continued.

P. Tyson. continued — The Committee in the case of Prince Tyson are continued.

The Committee to inform William Rich of the decision of this meeting in his case not having performed it are continued.

The committee to inform Ezra Collins Jr. of the decision of this meeting in his case not having done that service are continued.

P. Chase: continued. The committee in the case of [illegible] Chase are continued.

The clerk of this meeting is requested to inform Josiah Keen of the conclusion of this meeting relating to him.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned.

A. Walden. disowned — The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Anna Walden with which this meeting unites.

Second Month (Continued)

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against Enos A. Breed was rec.d at this time & is as follows viz.

Complaint vs. E. A. Breed

"Enos A Breed, has left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another society; he has also married out of the order of our society with a woman not in profession with us, for which he had been treated with"

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 9th of 2d mo. 1820" } Isaac Bassett & [illegible] Kendall

Whereupon we appoint William Breed & Nathaniel Walton to treat with him on the subject & report as soon as may be.

The business being closed; we Conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Third Month

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 3rd mo 1826.

The representatives from our several Preparative meetings are for Salem Ichabod Nichols & Nathaniel Whitten; for Lynn Theophilus Breed & Ezra Johnson who are present.

N. Silsbee continued.

The Committee in the case of [illegible] are continued.

D. Silsbee informed.

The Committee to inform Daniel Silsbee of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee to inform Wm Rich are again continued.

The committee to inform Ezra Collins Jr are again continued.

The Committee in the case of [illegible] are continued.

The Committee in the case of George Hudson are continued.

The Committee in the case of Enos H. Breed are continued.

The business being gone through we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

Fourth Month

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 13th of 4th mo. 1826.

The representatives from our several Preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen C. Nichols & William C. Parker for Lynn William Bassett & Jonathan Boyce who are all present but one.

S. Silsbee continued. The committee in the case of Solomon Silsbee are continued.

Wm. Rich informed. The committee continued to inform William Rich of the decision of this meeting in his case report, he had been informed.

E. Collins Jr. informed. The committee continued to inform Ezra Collins Jr. of the decision of this meeting in his case report he had been informed.

P. Chase continued. The committee in the case of Phillips Chase inform that they have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report are continued.

G. Tyson continued. The committee in the case of George Tyson are continued.

E. A. Breed continued. The committee in the case of Enoch A. Breed are continued.

T. Buxton Jr. complaint. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting against Thomas Buxton Jr was received & is as follows viz. "Thomas Buxton Jr. a member of our society hath deviated from the good order established therein in marrying with a woman not in membership with us for which he was [illegible] treated with."

To the monthly meeting at Salem 13th of 4th mo. } Abijah Chase
Stephen C. Nichols

Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall & [illegible] Walton to visit & treat with him on the subject and report to next Monthly meeting

A complaint was also received from the overseers from Salem Preparative meeting against Enoch Collins & is as follows viz "Enoch Collins a member of our Society hath deviated from the good order established among Friends in marrying a women not in membership with us for which he has been treated with"

Complaint vs. E. Collins.

To the monthly meeting at Salem 13th of 4th mo } Abijah Chace } Daniel Osborn } overseers

whereupon we appoint Henry Chace & Stephen Nichols to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to next monthly meeting

[illegible] Certificate A certificate from [illegible] Monthly meeting in favour of Jacob Swain was read & accepted

M. Alley, Certificate A certificate from Baltimore Monthly meeting for the western district in favour of Micajah Alley was read & accepted

The Business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next Month

Fifth Month 1826.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held in Lynn 11th of 5th mo. 1826.

The Representatives from the Preparative meetings are for Salem Solomon Varney & Elisha Chase for Lynn Isaac Bassett Jr. & Stephen Oliver who are present.

The Queries have been read in this meeting with the answers from our Preparative meetings from which a Summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 25th Instant & Estes Newhall, Charles Chase, Abijah Chase & Theophilus Breed are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

N. Gilbert continued. The Committee in the case of Nehemiah Gilbert are continued.

P. Chase continued. The committee in the case of Phillips Chase are continued.

G. Tyson. Report. The committee in the case of George Tyson assisted by the request of Baltimore Monthly meeting for the Western district presented the following viz; "Agreeable to appointment we have treated with George Tyson & find him [illegible] he had conducted as a [illegible] for the Monthly meeting which with what he has manifested to us has evinced to our minds it would be best to pass by his offence & retain him in membership with us."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 11th of 5th mo. 1826 } "Stephen Oliver Jr"

"Isaac Bassett"

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

"at the [illegible] [illegible] Meeting — Your Friend

[illegible]

a young and in [illegible] & my [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

from Baltimore Monthly Meeting — [illegible]

this is to day, that it is my sincere desire to remain

a member, my feelings towards Friends being the

same."

"Your assured Friend"

Phila. 5th mo. 3rd 1856" "Geo. Sydom"

G. Sydom retained. Both of which are accepted & the clerk is directed to forward the same to that meeting by an extract of minute.

C. S. [illegible] continued. [illegible] are Continued.

J. Thurston's continued. The Committee in the case of [illegible] Thurston is are Continued.

C. do. cont.d The Committee in the case of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

E. Collins requests a certificate. [illegible] Collins requests a certificate of removal to [illegible] to the Baltimore Monthly Meeting, which we [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Instruction offered [illegible] & prepared to next meeting.

The overseers of this meeting are requested

Overseers requested to make application for removing remains &c. to apply to the municipal authority of [illegible] for [illegible] to remove the remains from the Old grounds occupied [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] appear [illegible] — The business being closed we conclude [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Tenth Month 1[illegible]0

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at [illegible] [illegible] 1[illegible]0.

The Representatives from our preparative meetings are viz. Salem [illegible] Buxton & Jonathan Nichols, Lynn Samuel Neal & James Purinton who are present.

D. Buffum certificate. A certificate on behalf of David Buffum from [illegible] monthly meeting was read at this time & accepted.

N. Silsbee continued. The committee in the case of [illegible] Silsbee are continued.

The committee in the case of Phillips Chase presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Phillips Chase on account of the complaint exhibited against him & although for a time there appeared some prospect of amendment yet of late his case appears no better than when it was brought before the monthly meeting & we do not consider further labour from us would be of any use —

To the monthly meeting of Friends to be held at Salem [illegible] of [illegible] mo. [illegible]"

[illegible]

P. Chase disowned. Which information is accepted & we do therefore for his misconduct deny him the right of membership in our Society the women uniting herein & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The Committee in the case of [illegible] Breed are continued.

The committee in the case of [illegible] Buxton Jr. are continued.

Sixth Month [illegible]

E. Collins continued — The committee in the case of Enoch [illegible] are continued —

The committee [illegible]

E. Collins certificate [illegible]

[illegible] —

The [illegible] —

[illegible]

Boston Frds to remove the remains to Lynn [illegible] of last month & have obtained liberty to remove the remains from their burying ground in that city & [illegible] them in their burying ground at Lynn & [illegible] to proceed therein as soon as convenient —

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time [illegible]

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 10th of 7th mo 1826

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Nathaniel Watson & William Frye for Lynn Samuel W. Oliver & Micajah C [illegible].

N. Silsbee continued, The committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee are continued.

Phillips Chace providentially removed by death.

T. Buxton Jr continued. The committee in the case of Thomas Buxton Jr are continued.

E. A. Breed continued The committee in the case of Enos A Breed are continued.

E. Collins. Continued The committee in the case of Enoch Collins are continued.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month.

Eighth Month 1826

[illegible] monthly meeting of Friends held at [illegible] 10th of 8 mo 1826—

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are [illegible] Thomas Chase & William Tucker [illegible] [illegible] Barker & [illegible] [illegible] who are present—

[illegible] present — Our valued Friend [illegible] attended this meeting with a certificate from China Monthly meeting [illegible] in the 6th mo last expressive of their unity & sympathy with him in his present engagement; his company & gospel labours have been acceptable & edifying to us.

[illegible] minute — [illegible] our Friend [illegible] companion to the above named Friend with a copy of a minute from China Monthly meeting of the 6th mo last whose company has been acceptable.

[illegible] from our Preparative meetings [illegible] prepared in the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] of representatives.

[illegible] continued — The committee in the case of [illegible] continued.

[illegible] disowned — The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of [illegible] W. Breed & Judith Pond with which this meeting unites.

The committee in the case of Thomas Buxton Jr [illegible] of his deviation from our discipline in marriage, & tho he seems favourably disposed towards Society yet we do not appear to feel the necessity at present to take any m

Eighth Month Continued

[illegible]

the meeting [illegible]"

"Lynn 2nd mo 6th 1826" — "Estes Newhall"
"Wm. Allen"

S. Burton Jr. disowned Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society & the committee are continued to give him the needful information.

The Committee in the case of Chas. H. Breed [illegible] with him & that he manifested no wish to be any longer retained a member, which report is accepted & we do therefore for his departure from the order of society deny him the right of membership therein the women are uniting —

Chs. H. Breed disowned

The Committee in the case of Enoch Collins presented the following report viz. "We have visited Enoch Collins & find him in no disposition to make Friends satisfaction for that breach of order as set forth in the complaint exhibited against him, [illegible] Friends [illegible] to be submitted at Lynn the 8th mo 10th 1826 —
"Henry Chase"
"Benjamin Nichols"

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society & the Committee are continued to give him the needful information

E. Collins disown'd

Lynn Preparative meeting informs that [illegible] P. Newhall requests a certificate to Weare Monthly meeting [illegible]

Eighth Month Continued

T. S. Newhall's case [illegible] & Elias [illegible] to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one & present to next monthly meeting.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Ninth Month

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 9th mo 1820.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are all present. [illegible] Nathl Wilson & David Buxton for Lynn Enoch Page & Elias [illegible] who are present.

N. [illegible] continued — The committee in the case of Nehemiah [illegible] are continued.

T. Buxton informed — The committee to inform Thomas Buxton of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

E. Collins informed — The committee to inform Enoch Collins of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report that he has been informed.

[illegible] certificate — The committee to prepare a certificate to [illegible] for [illegible] marriage presented one which being read is approved [illegible]

[illegible]

Complaint [illegible] — [illegible] this meeting has received against [illegible] as follows viz., "Ebenezer Breed, [illegible] neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & we believe is in the frequent & intemperate use of ardent spirits & is at times in the use of profane language; he had been treated with but we can see no prospect of amendment."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held } [illegible] Marshall
at Lynn [illegible] of [illegible] mo. [illegible]" } Samuel [illegible]
Isaac [illegible]

Whereupon we appoint [illegible] Chase, Wm. C. [illegible] & Charles Chase to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to next monthly meeting.

E. Robson present — Our beloved Friend Elizabeth Robson from Great [illegible] [illegible] appointed meetings in this vicinity with certificates from the monthly meeting of Hardshaw West held at Liverpool & of Lancashire [illegible] [illegible] all expressive of unity & sympathy with her in her [illegible]; her [illegible] have been acceptable & edifying to us.

R. Ely present — Also our Friend Ruth Ely companion to the above named Friend attended this meeting with a copy of minute from Solebury Monthly Meeting Pennsylvania whose company has been acceptable.

Complaint vs. P. Houghton — A complaint from the overseers by way of the [illegible] meeting against Peter Houghton is rec'd & is as follows viz — "Peter Houghton has almost [illegible] with & manifests no disposition to remain a member of our society." — [illegible] Marshall

"To the Monthly meeting to be } [illegible]
held at [illegible]" } [illegible]

[illegible] we appoint Stephen Oliver, Micajah C.
Pratt & Jonathan Nichols to visit & treat with him
on the subject complained of & report the state of the
case as they may find it

The Clerk informed this meeting that he has sent

[illegible] informed

[illegible] a minute in the second month last made
[illegible] of the conclusion of the meeting relative
to him

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting
report they all attended

[illegible]
& Samuel Boyce are appointed to audit the treasurer's
acct & report the state thereof & also what sum will be
necessary to raise to defray the rising expenses the present
year

The Clerk is directed to forward to [illegible]
an extract of the minute taken last month relative
to him

The business being closed we conclude this
sitting to meet again at Salem at the usual time next
month

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 12th of 10th mo 1830

The Representatives from the preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Abijah Chase for Lynn [illegible] present

The Queries are read with the required answers from our Preparative meetings from which a Summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Weare the 19th Instant & Isaac Bassett Jr, Abijah Chase, Estes Newhall & Enoch Page are appointed to attend the same as representatives

N. Silsbee The committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee
continued are continued

E. Breed Jr The committee in the case of Ephraim
Continued Breed Jr are continued

N. Houghton The committee in the case of Nathan Hough-
continued ton are continued.

The committee to assist the [illegible] &c not having accomplished it are continued

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn
Complaint Preparative meeting is recd against David Hawkes
vs D. Hawkes as follows viz "David Hawkes [illegible] inattention to that principle which is the alone preservative from evil, so far departed from the good order of our society as almost wholly to neglect the attendance of our religious meetings, & is in the habit of using profane language, for which he has been treated with,

To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 12th of 10th mo 1830

Daniel Johnson
Estes Newhall
[illegible]
Isaac Bassett
Overseers

whereupon we appoint Ichabod Nichols & Abijah

Tenth Month Continued.

Chase to visit & treat with him on the subject complained of & report to next monthly meeting.

M. G. Phillips & L. Phillips disowned

The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Mary G. Phillips & Louisa Phillips with which this meeting unites.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month

Eleventh Month.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 16th 11 mo. 1826. The representatives from [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Chase. For Lynn James Purinton & Gamaliel W. Oliver who are present.

The committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee presented the following report viz. "The committee in the case of Nehemiah Silsbee [illegible] notwithstanding [illegible] at times some appearance of an amendment, yet of late his [illegible] having considered the case we see no prospect of usefulness to him or to Society in waiting longer on him."

"Salem monthly meeting at Lynn } "Samuel [illegible]
11 mo. 9th 1826." "Abijah Chase
"[illegible] [illegible]

N. Silsbee disowned

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore after [illegible] [illegible] a prospect of amendment deny him the right of membership in our Society the women uniting herein & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The committee in the case of Ebenezer Breed are continued.

Eleventh Month Continued

The committee in the case of Vesta Houghton report as follows viz — "The committee in the case of Vesta Houghton have attended to their appointment, but find no encouragement to [illegible]. He [illegible] to acknowledge having departed from the good order of our Society [illegible] conformable thereto; And we can see no prospect of usefulness in continuing the committee".

"To the Monthly meeting at Lynn 11 mo. 9th 1826" } "Stephen Oliver
"Micajah C. Pratt"
"[illegible]"

V. Houghton disowned — Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information —

The committee to assist the overseers &c. are continued —

D. Hawkes continued — The committee in the case of David Hawkes are continued —

The representatives to the last Quarterly meeting report they all attended —

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month —

Twelfth Month 1826.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 12 mo 1826.—

The representatives from the [illegible] meetings are for Salem David Oliver & Jonathan Buxton for Lynn [illegible] & [illegible] [illegible] who are all present.

N. Ashe. informed. The committee to inform [illegible] of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

E. Breed Jr. continued. The committee in the case of Ebenezer Breed Jr are continued.

N. Houghton informed. The committee to inform Nathan Houghton of the conclusion of this meeting in that case report he has been informed.

D. Hawkes disowned. The committee in the case of David Hawkes not being prepared with a report in [illegible] they have visited him & now [illegible] [illegible] to the meeting, & this meeting taking into consideration that case & believing no improvement has been manifested by him but on the contrary [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] the right of membership in our society & the committee are continued to give him the meeting's information.

Treasurer's accounts reported. The committee to audit the treasurer's accounts &c presented the following report viz. "The committee appointed to audit the accounts of the treasurer & [illegible] the persons attended to that service & find a balance in the hands of the treasurer of $2,59. It appears that each Preparative meeting has paid its proportion for the last year, & as far as the funds would allow the demands have been seasonably liquidated. There remains now due & not paid $251.80 and the [illegible] of [illegible] for the present year will amount to about 16[illegible] to be raised which we would recommend the collection of in [illegible] [illegible] by the monthly

Twelfth Month continued

meeting of 181 $ which will leave 150 Dollars to be raised by each preparative meeting [illegible] the ensuing year & pay all our arrears

To the monthly meeting } William Oliver in behalf
at Lynn 14th of 12 mo. 1826 } of the committee

Which is accepted & the treasurer is directed to collect the money due on the Note mentioned in the report & each preparative meeting is desired to pay into the treasury their proportion —

complaint
W. Estes Jr.
~~disowned~~

A complaint from Lynn Preparative meeting against William Estes Jr. was received & is as follows viz — William Estes Jr. hath for a long time almost wholly neglected the attendance of our religious meetings & deviated from our profession in dress & address & lately married out of the order of our Society with a woman not a member thereof —

To the monthly meeting } Daniel Johnson
to be held at Salem 12 mo. 14th 1826 } Isaac Bassett Jr.
Estes Newhall

Wherefore we appoint Abijah Chase & Richard Holder to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to a future meeting —

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month

First Month 1827

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 11th of 1st mo 1827.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols Wm E. Peirce & Daniel Matson for Lynn Micajah Collins Benajah Purinton & Charles Chase who are all present but one who is unwell.

The time being expired for which the clerks were appointed the representatives [illegible] Daniel Purinton clerk & Samuel Boyce assistant which being approved by the meeting they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read with the required answers from our several Preparative meetings from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Seabrook the 18th instant & we appoint Estes Newhall, Micah Chase, Charles Chase, Daniel Osborne, & Jacob Chase to attend said meeting as representatives.

The committee in the case of Ebenezer Breed Jr presented a report as follows, "Agreeable to appointment we have several times visited Ebenezer Breed Jr on account of the complaint against him and now inform that we have not at any of our visits found him in a disposition of mind that afforded us any expectation or encouragement of his abstaining from the improper use of ardent spirits, we therefore think that any further labour would be useless."

"To the Monthly meeting at } Charles Chase
Salem 11th of 1st mo 1827" } Micah Chase
Wm E. Peirce

E. Breed Jr. disowned — Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The committee to inform [illegible] of the conclusion of [illegible] that service are continued.

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First Month Continued.

The committee in the case of William Estes Jr. presented a report as follows viz. "[illegible] we have visited Wm. Estes Jr. on account of the complaint and we find him in a good disposition towards friends, but not in a disposition of mind to make any satisfaction for his deviancy; [illegible] for us to visit him any more."

To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 1 mo. 11th 1827 } Richard Holder
Elijah Chase

Wm. Estes Jr. disowned

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

Complt. agst. [illegible] Phillips

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against [illegible] Phillips son of John Phillips [illegible] as follows viz. "[illegible] Phillips [illegible] from the good order of our society by wholly neglecting the attendance of our religious meetings & we believe has also deviated from moral rectitude by illicit conduct with a young woman for which he had been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 11th of 1 mo. 1827 } Charles Chase
James Purinton
Overseers

whereupon we appoint Stephen Nichols & Charles Chase to [illegible] report to a future meeting.

Overseers appointed

Salem Preparative meeting have nominated Elijah [illegible] Nichols & Lynn preparative meeting have nominated Estes Newhall, [illegible] for the station of overseers [illegible] are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

The [illegible]

Second Month 1827

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn [illegible] 2nd mo. 1827 — The Representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Paul Buxton & Daniel Buxton for Lynn Micajah Breed & Samuel Johnson who are present.

E. Breed Jr. informed — The committee to inform Ebenezer Breed Jr of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The Committee to inform David Hawkes of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he had not been informed & they are again continued.

The committee to inform Wm Estes Jr of the conclusion of this meeting in his case not having performed that service are again continued.

The committee in the case of Walter Phillips are continued.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting was rec'd at this time & is as follows viz.

Complaint agst. D. [illegible] — "David [illegible] a member of our Society has for a long time since wholly neglected the attendance of our religious meetings & greatly departed from our principles in dress & address; & [illegible] [illegible] at [illegible] in which he is now [illegible] and we believe in some instances he acted from moral rectitude, for which we have treated with him several times."

"To the monthly meeting to be holden at Lynn in 2nd mo. next" — "Abijah Chase" "[illegible]" "Jonathan Nichols" "overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall, [illegible] & Abijah Chase to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to a future meeting.

M. [illegible] disowned — The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Mary [illegible] with which this meeting unites. They also inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Hannah

H. C. & M. A. B. disowned — C. & Mary A. Breed with which this meeting concurs.

The Representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they attended.

Second Month 1827

The subject of a memorial concerning our late beloved Friend Micajah Collins coming weightily before this meeting after deliberation thereon we appoint Isaac Bassett Jr, Stephen Oliver, James Purinton, Estes Newhall, Wm E. Hacker, [illegible] Nichols, [illegible] Chase & Samuel [illegible] to unite with the women to prepare one & present to a future meeting.

Committee to prepare a memorial.

He departed this life on the [illegible] of last month & was for many years a minister in good esteem amongst us labouring faithfully therein for the promotion of truth & righteousness in the earth & at the close evinced the [illegible] fruits of a well spent life in the humble yet glorious prospect of a happy immortality.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Third Month 1827

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 15th of 3rd mo. 1827.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Osborn & Solomon Varney for Lynn Enoch Page & Nathaniel Walden who are present.

D. Hawkes informed.

The committee to inform David Hawkes of the decision of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Wm Estes Jr informed.

The committee to inform Wm Estes Jr of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee in the case of Walter Phillips presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Walter Phillips son of John Phillips on account of a complaint that was presented against

Third Month Continued

him, & in treating with him he seemed to be sensible of his several deviations from the order of our Society & declined giving any satisfaction therefor, & it is the conclusion of the committee that any further labour from them will be of no use to the individual or to Society; all of which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at [illegible]"

"3 mo. 8th. 1827."

"Charles Cruse"
"Stephen Nichols" } "Committee"

[illegible] disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore for his said misconduct deny him the right of membership in our Society the women uniting herein & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

E. Sawyer continued. The committee in the case of Edward Sawyer are continued.

H. Hood disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Hannah Hood with which this meeting unites.

Memorial conc. M. Collins presented. The committee to prepare a memorial concerning our late Friend Micajah Collins presented one which being read the further consideration of it is deferred until next month.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month.

Fourth Month 1827

Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Salem 12th of 4 mo 1827 –

The representatives from our several Preparative meetings are for Salem Edward Nichols & Benjn E. Packer, for Lynn Gamaliel W. Oliver & Samuel Neal who are all present but one

W. Phillips informed. The committee to inform Walter Phillips of the decision of this meeting in his case report he had been informed

E. Sawyer continued. The committee in the case of Edward Sawyer are continued –

memorial deferred. The consideration of a Memorial concerning Micajah Collins is again deferred untill next month.

Complaint vs. Amos Breed. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting was recd. at this time & is as follows viz. "Amos Breed a member of our Society has so far departed from the good order thereof as to marry with a woman not in profession with us."

"To the monthly meeting at Salem 12th of 4 mo. 1827" } "Daniel Johnson" "James Purinton" } overseers

Whereupon we appoint Abner Neade & Samuel Neal to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to a future meeting –

H. Frye & T. Gile certificates. Certificates of removal on behalf of Homer Frye & Timothy Gile from Dover Monthly Meeting were read at this time & accepted.

Ruth Gove disowned. The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Ruth Gove with which this meeting unites –

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month –

Fifth Month 1827

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 10th of 5 mo. 1827 –

The representatives from our several Preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase, Daniel Osborn & Wm E. Hacker for Lynn Isaac Bassett for Gamaliel W Oliver, & Isaiah Chase who are present –

The committee in the case of Edward Sawyer presented a report as follows viz – "The committee appointed to treat with Edward Sawyer have succeeded in obtaining an interview with him & find from his own confession that there was just cause for the complaint. He appears to be in no way disposed to make sattisfaction for the past, or to give any encouragement for the future; & we can see no use in further waiting on him."

To the monthly meeting to be
held at Lynn 10 of 5 mo. 1827

Estes Newhall
Stephen Oliver
Abijah Chase

E. Sawyer disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted & we do with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information –

The Queries are read with answers thereto from our several Preparative meetings from which answers are prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 24th Instant & Samuel Breed Estes Newhall Abijah Chase & Wm E Hacker are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives –

A. Breed continued The committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued –

memorial united with A memorial concerning our late Friend Micajah Collins was read at this time & after a season of deliberation was fully united with & the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting & to forward it to the Quarterly meeting for their approval –

Fifth Month Continued

D. Dean disowned The women inform that they have concluded to deny the right of membership in our Society of Desire Dean jr with which this meeting unites

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn on the first Fourth day of the week in next month

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Sixth Month 1827

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 6 of 6 mo 1827

The representatives from our several preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Buxton & Stephen Nichols for Lynn Samuel P Johnson & Stephen Oliver who are present

V. Meder present Our esteemed Friend Valentine Meder attended this meeting with a certificate from Starksboro monthly meeting & endorsed by Ferrisburg Quarterly meeting whose company & labours have been acceptable

The committee to inform Edward Sawyer of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued

The committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting all attended except one for whose nonattendance a satisfactory reason was given

J. Meder present. Our esteemed friend Joanna Meder attended this meeting with a certificate from Starksboro monthly meeting & endorsed by Ferrisburg Quarterly meeting whose company & services were acceptable

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month

Seventh Month 1827

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 12th of 7 mo. 1827

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase & Ichabod Nichols for Lynn Samuel Neal & William Breed who are present.

E. Sawyer, informed. The committee to inform Edward Sawyer of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The Committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting concerning George C. Chase was recd. & is as follows viz. "George C. Chase a member of our Society has mostly left the attendance of our meetings & does not conform to the good order of our Society in dress or address & has married out of the order of Friends with a person not in profession with us." he has been treated with on account thereof.

Complaint vs. G. Chase

"To the monthly meeting" "Jonathan Nichols"
"Daniel Osborn" } "overseers"

Whereupon we appoint James Purinton & Estes Newhall to visit & treat with him on the subjects complained of & report to a future meeting.

Complaint vs. J. Buxton. A complaint was also received from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting concerning Jonathan Buxton 4th & is as follows viz. "Jonathan Buxton 4th a member of our Society has departed from the good order & discipline thereof in keeping company & marrying a person not in membership with us. We have treated with him on account of the same".

"Abijah Chase"
"To the monthly meeting" "Jonathan Nichols" } "overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Isaac Bassett Jr. & Enoch Page to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to a future meeting. The Business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Eighth Month 1827

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 8 mo. 1827

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are in Salem Stephen Dennis & Abner Chase, in Lynn Gamaliel W Oliver Daniel Johnson & Benaiah Purinton who are present

The Queries have been read in this meeting with the required answers from our several Preparative meetings from which a Summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Lynn the 16th Instant & Estes Newhall Abijah Chase, John Pratt, Charles Chase, & James Purinton are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives

A. Breed continued — The committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued & James Purinton is appointed to join them in further labour

G. C. Chase continued — The committee in the case of George C Chase are continued

J. Buxton 4th continued — The committee in the case of Jonathan Buxton 4th are continued

Communication from Meeting for Sufferings — The following communication was recd from the meeting for Sufferings relative to the meeting House lot in Boston viz, The committee on the Subject of the Meeting House Lot in Boston presented the following report viz The committee relative to the Boston meeting House Lot report that from conversation which they have had with Members of Salem Monthly meeting who have appeared to represent the views of said meeting in this case they think there is a fair prospect that circumstances which have hitherto prevented the sale of the lot & the purchase of another to mutual satisfaction will be removed

They therefore recommend to the meeting for Sufferings that should a sale be effected & another lot purchased in conformity with the former minutes of this meeting, the present Committee or another one to be appointed for that purpose be authorized to build a suitable meeting House thereon for the accommodation of Friends; and as friends of Salem Monthly meeting have expended considerable sums of money in recovering possession of the title to said lot under the direction of this meeting as well as on other occasions on account of Society in Boston, and it being understood that the sum of Thirty Five Hundred Dollars will satisfy these claims, they recommend that this sum be paid out of the proceeds of said sale to such committee of Salem Monthly meeting as may be authorized to receive it; provided that in consideration hereof said meeting agrees to relinquish all claim upon said property & upon the yearly meeting for services rendered & sums expended by them — And that the sum which may remain after this payment & the purchase of another lot be paid into the yearly meetings Treasury conformable to a minute made by this meeting in the 8 mo. 1825 — subject so far as it may be wanted for that purpose to the order of the committee having the care of building the proposed Meeting House

The deed of the lot of land which may be purchased they propose should be taken in the name of the yearly-meeting in its legal capacity —

On behalf of the Committee

Abraham Shearman Jr

Providence 8 mo. 4th 1827 }

To the meeting for Sufferings —

Which report is accepted —

Whereupon we appoint Wm Almy Thomas Howland, Wm Osborne, Abraham Shearman Jr, & Wm Jenkins a committee to carry into effect the recommendations contained therein as soon as it may appear practicable; and the overseers of Salem Monthly meeting are

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desired to lend their aid in the accomplishment of the object of this meeting agreeable to our present conclusion & in accordance with our minute of 8 mo 1825.

Extracted from the minutes of the meeting for sufferings held in Providence 8 mo 4th 1827.

Wm Jenkins Clerk for
this time

Which proposition as respects remunerating this meeting for certain expenses for the recovery of the lot &c is acceded to by this meeting & the overseers are appointed a committee to receive said sum of Thirty Five Hundred Dollars on our behalf & also convey all the interest this meeting has in said lot agreeable to the wishes of the meeting for sufferings; and the Clerk is directed to forward an extract of this minute to the Clerk of the meeting for sufferings.

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Ninth Month 1827

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 9 mo 1827.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem William Frye & Henry Chase, for Lynn Estes Newhall & James Breed Jr. who are all present.

A. Breed. The committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued
continued. The committee in the case of George C Chase are con-
Also,
G. C. Chase tinued.

J. Buxton 4th. The committee in the case of Jonathan Buxton 4th
continued are continued.

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The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting report they all attended

S. Tucker present. Our beloved Friend Sarah Tucker attended this meeting with a copy of a minute from Dartmouth mo meeting held 22d of 8 mo last whose company & Gospel labours have been accep-

J. Tucker present. table to us. Also our Friend James Tucker Husband to the above named Friend with a copy of a minute from Dartmouth mo meeting of the same date of the above whose company has been acceptable

complt. 69 W. Luscomb. A complaint from the Overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against William Luscomb was recd at this time & is as follows viz. "William Luscomb has we believe through inattention to that principal which led him to join in membership with us suffered his mind to become alienated from our society & has for a long time mostly left the attendance of our meetings & has also joined the Free Masons

he has been treated with on account of the above deficiences"

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 9 mo 13th 1827" } "Estes Newhall" } "Charles Chase" } overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Jonathan Reynolds, Estes Newhall & Wm E Hacker to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to a future meeting.

S. Boyce & E. Bassett. published Lynn Preparative meeting informs that Samuel Boyce & Eliza Bassett purpose having their intention of marriage with each other before this meeting; They have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other & are referred to our next monthly meeting for an answer; and James Purinton & Isaiah Chase are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into said Samuel's clearness on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Ann S. Houghton with which this meeting united

Ninth Month Continued 1827

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month

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Tenth Month 1827.

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 11th of 10 mo 1827.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Wm E. Hacker for Lynn Benjamin Jenkins James Purinton & Isaac Bassett who are all present.

P. Cook. Certificate. A certificate from Berwick monthly meeting for the Western district on behalf of Phebe Cook was read & accepted.

The queries were read with the answers thereto which is ordered to be forwarded to the Quarterly meeting to be held at Weare the 18th Instant & Estes Newhall, William Breed, Isaac Bassett & [illegible] are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

A. Breed continued. The committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued.

G.C. Chase continued. The committee in the case of George C Chase are continued.

J. Buxton Jr continued. The committee in the case of Jonathan Buxton Jr are continued.

The committee in the case of William Luscomb are continued.

S. Boyce at liberty to marry. The committee to make the necessary inquiry into Samuel Boyce's clearness on account of marriage report they find nothing to obstruct; he is therefore left at liberty to proceed therein agreeable to the order of our Society & Samuel Chase & Samuel Johnson are appointed to have the overseers thereof & report to next monthly meeting

This meeting is informed by a minute from the Preparative meeting of ministers & elders held on the 10th Inst that they are united in the appointment of Abigail Chase to the station of an elder; which after deliberation with the concurrence of the women is united with & she is accordingly appointed to that station & the clerk is directed to give the necessary information.

A. Chase appointed an Elder.

The women inform that they have disunited from the right of membership in our society Anna Quinton & also Hannah Nichols with which this meeting unites.

A. Quinton H. Nichols disowned

Our esteemed friend Avis Keene laid before this meeting a concern which impressed her mind to attend the approaching Quarterly meeting at Dover & a few meetings within the limits thereof which claiming the consideration of this meeting is united with & she left at liberty to pursue her prospect as best wisdom may direct; she being a member of this meeting & a minister in unity the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

A. Keene concern.

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 8th of 11 mo. 1827.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Stone & Wm. E. Hacker for Lynn Wm. Breed & Wm. Oliver who are present.

A. Breed continued. The committee in the case of Amos Breed are continued.

G. C. Chase continued. The committee in the case of George C. Chase are continued.

J. Buxton 4th report. The committee in the case of Jonathan Buxton 4th presented the following report viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have several times visited Jonathan Buxton 4th & treated with him on account of the complaint exhibited against him, & find he is desirous of retaining his right in society, but is not disposed to make suitable satisfaction according to discipline.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 8th of 11 mo. 1827 — Isaac Bassett Jr. Enoch Page } Committee"

J. Buxton disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

W. Luscomb continued. The committee in the case of Wm. Luscomb are continued.

The committee to have the oversight of Samuel Breed's marriage report that they attended & it was conducted orderly.

Complt agst. H. Buxton. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting against Henry Buxton was rec'd & read as follows viz, "Henry Buxton a member of our society hath so far deviated from the good order used amongst us as to marry a person not in membership with us, he having been friendly advised against such a procedure."

To Salem Preparative meeting of Friends 1st of 11 mo. 1827 — Jonathan Nichols Solomon Varney

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Whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase & Estes Newhall to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to a future meeting.

E. Buxton complaint. A complaint was also received from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting against Edward Buxton which is as follows viz "Edward Buxton a member of our meeting has so far disregarded our uniform testimony against war as to bear arms at a state training contrary to the advice of his parents, for which we have treated with him without any satisfaction."

"To the monthly meeting" "Abijah Chase"
"Daniel Osborne" } overseers

Whereupon we appoint Isaac Bassett Jr & Wm E. Hacker to visit & treat with him for his misconduct & report to a future meeting.

A communication from Weare monthly meeting was received at this time & is as follows viz.

"To Salem monthly meeting of Friends."

E. B. Gove complaint. "This meeting is informed that Edward B. Gove a member of our meeting has proceeded contrary to the rules of our society in accomplishing marriage; we wish you to treat with him on that account & give us the necessary information he being at Lynn within the limits of your meeting."

"Extracted from the minutes of Weare monthly meeting of Friends 9 mo 16th 1827."

"By order of said meeting John Sawyer Clk"

Whereupon we appoint Charles Chase & Samuel [illegible] to visit & treat with him on the subject agreeable to request of said meeting & report when accomplished.

A communication from the meeting for sufferings was received at this time & is as follows viz.

The committee appointed to examine some writings of our Friend Elisha Bates of Ohio made the following

Eleventh Month continued

Communication from meeting for sufferings respecting E. Bates's doctrines

report viz. Agreeably to appointment we of the committee appointed to examine the Book entitled, "The doctrines of Friends, or the principles of the Christian Religion as held by the Society of Friends, commonly called Quakers" written by our friend Elisha Bates & approved by the meeting for Sufferings of Ohio Yearly meeting, report that we consider it a judicious well written work, and in accordance with the primitive doctrines of Friends & we think it worthy the adoption of this meeting, & suitable to convey the knowledge of our principles to those unacquainted therewith —

Moses Brown
John Wilbur
Stephen Gould

Which is acceptable to this meeting & we recommend to the several monthly meetings of this yearly meeting to open subscriptions for this work & inform this meeting of the number of copies subscribed for in their respective meetings; when measures will be taken by this meeting to supply them. The price probably will not exceed one Dollar — The Clerk is requested to furnish each monthly meeting with a printed copy of this minute. —

Extracted from the minutes of the meeting for sufferings held at Providence 4th of 8mo 1827.

Thomas Howland Clk

And this meeting believing that benefit would result from the spread of those Books mentioned in said communication appoint Daniel Brown, Thomas Chase, Benj Bassett, Stephen Oliver & Benjamin Winslow to collect subscriptions of our members & make report to this meeting when finished —

R. [illegible] The women inform that they have concluded to restore the right of membership in our Society of Ruth

Eleventh Month Continued

disownd. Pratt with which this meeting unites.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting report they all attended but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The business being closed we conclude adjourning to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Twelfth Month 1827

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn [illegible] 1827.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Daniel Osborn for Lynn Theophilus Breed & Samuel Breed who are present.

A. Breed, continued. The Committee in the case of [illegible] Breed are continued.

G. C. Chase continued. The committee in the case of George C. Chase are continued.

J. Buxton Jr. informed. The committee to inform Jonathan Buxton Jr. of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

W. Luscomb. continued. The committee in the case of William Luscomb are continued.

The committee in the case of Henry Buxton presented the following report viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have visited Henry Buxton on account of the complaint— altho' he manifests a regard for Society yet he does not appear to us to be in a situation to condemn his outgoings or to live more conformable to our discipline in future."

"To the monthly meeting 12 mo. 1827"

"[illegible]"
"Abijah Chase"

Twelfth Month Continued

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with
H. Buxton the concurrence of the womens meeting deny him the right of
disowned. membership in our Society & the committee are continued
to give him the information.

The committee in the case of David Buxton presented a report as follows viz. Agreeably to appointment we have visited David Buxton on account of the complaint exhibited against him & find he justifies his proceedings & gives no encouragement of conducting more consistently in future; neither does he wish to be waited on any longer — we therefore can see no use in further labour.

To the monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn
13th of 12 mo. 1827

Isaac Bassett Jr
Wm. E. Hacker
Committee

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore
D. Buxton with the concurrence of the womens meeting deny him the right of
disowned. membership in our Society & the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The committee in the case of Edward S. Stone appointed by request of Weare monthly meeting report as follows viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have treated with Edward S. Stone and find him in no disposition of mind to make friends satisfaction for his departure from the order of Society & we see no use in further waiting on him.

To the monthly meeting to be
held at Lynn 13th of 12th mo. 1827

Daniel Johnson
Charles Chase

E. S. Stone Which after deliberation is accepted & the Clerk is
disowned directed to forward to Weare meeting by an extract of
this minute.

J. Silsbury. Salem Preparative meeting inform that [illegible]
published Silsbee he mentioned among them his intentions of marriage with

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[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] & [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
& are referred to next monthly meeting for an answer &
Enoch Pace & Solomon Cauley are appointed to make the
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] & report to next monthly meeting

An epistle from our yearly meeting of 6 mo last was read at this time to our Edification & comfort

The time having expired for which the clerks were appointed [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] are appointed to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] period & propose them at next monthly meeting for that service

Committee to propose clerks

James Puriton & Jonathan Nichols are appointed to audit the treasurer's accounts & settle with the overseers of the poor & also propose a sum sufficient to meet the expenses of the year ensuing

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month

First Month 1828.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 10th of 1st mo. 1828.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborne & Oliver Chase for Lynn [illegible] Purinton, Daniel Chase & Isaac Bassett who are present.

The committee appointed to conduct some suitable persons for clerks have proposed Samuel Breed for clerk & William Bassett assistant which being united with by the meeting they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

The queries have been read in this meeting & the required answers from the preparative meetings from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Sandwich the 17th instant & Estes Newhall, Abijah Chase, Jacob Chase & Samuel Osborne are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

E. Breed continued. The committee to visit [illegible] Breed are continued.

G. C. Chase. continued. The committee in the case of George C. Chase are continued.

The committee in the case of Wm. Luscomb presented the following report viz "Agreeable to appointment we have had an interview with William Luscomb on the subject of his [illegible], & from the disposition manifested by him we can see no [illegible] usefulness to himself or Society in retaining him longer in membership with us.

Estes Newhall
Wm. [illegible]
Jonathan Nichols
Committee

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of

First Month Continued.

o. Luscomb membership in our Society & the committee are continued
disowned. to give him the necessary information.

The committee continued to inform Henry Buxton
of the conclusion of this meeting in his case not having
performed that service are again continued.

The women inform that they have concluded to disown
C. Newbold. [illegible] [illegible] of membership in our Society of Charlotte Newbold
disowned. with which this meeting unites.

The committee continued to inform David Buxton
D. Buxton. of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he
informed. has been informed.

The committee to make inquiry into Jonathan
J. Shoemaker Shoemaker's clearness on account of marriage report
at liberty they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein;
to marry. he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in
the order of our Society & Solomon Ramsey & Enoch Page
are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to
next monthly meeting.

The committee to audit the treasurer's accounts & settle
with the overseers of the Poor & propose a sum for the ensuing year are continued.

Salem Preparative meeting inform that they have
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Solomon Ramsey [illegible]
Overseers of [illegible] [illegible] & [illegible] propose to this meeting that
appointed. they have nominated [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] & [illegible] [illegible] to
the station of overseers for the ensuing year with which
this meeting unites & they are accordingly appointed to
that service for one year.

A request was then rec'd by this meeting by way of
J. Bell Salem Preparative meeting from John Bell as follows,
requests. viz. "To the Preparative meeting of Friends in Salem —
Having felt for some time a [illegible] on my mind

and sincere desire to be brought to the [illegible] of the truth as it is in our blessed master Jesus Christ, now after serious consideration being brought to believe the doctrine professed by the Society of Friends, I do request to be taken under their care."

"Salem 12th mo 6th 1827" "John Bell"

Whereupon we appoint Estes Mendenhall Henry Clark & [illegible] to visit him on account of his request & report to next mo meeting.

Complaint agt. [illegible] A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is sent at this time & is as follows [illegible] [illegible] has left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another Society; [illegible] the discipline & order thereof or a disposition to be retained any longer in membership with us; he having been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 10th of 1 mo 1828" "[illegible]" "Estes Mendenhall" "overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Samuel Swinton, Daniel Clark to visit & treat with him on account of the complaint & report to next mo meeting.

[illegible] The committee appointed in the 11 mo last to [illegible] [illegible] report [illegible]

The business being closed we conclude [illegible] to meet again at [illegible] at the usual time in next month.

Second Month. 1828.

Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at Lynn. 14th of 2d Month. 1828.

The Representatives from our Preparative Meetings are
For Salem. Daniel Buxton and John Buxton Jr.
For Lynn. Richard Holder and Benajah Purinton;
who are present. —

A. B. Contd. The Committee to visit Amos Breed are continued. —

The Committee to visit George C. Chase presented the following report: viz: — "Agreeable to appointment we "have had an opportunity with George C. Chase, and although "he appeared open to treat with us, yet he manifested no "disposition to conform to the order of our Society, nor any "desire to be continued longer a member thereof." —

"To the Monthly Meeting to be } (signed) "Estes Newhall
"held at Lynn 2d mo. 14th 1828. } James Purinton." —

which, after deliberation is accepted: and we do therefore, with
G. C. Chase the concurrence of the Women, deny him the right of
disownd. membership in our Society; and the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information. —

W. Luscomb The Committee continued to inform William Luscomb of
informed the conclusion of the meeting in his case, report he has been informed.

H. Buxton The Committee to inform Henry Buxton of the conclu-
information sion of the meeting in his case, report he has been informed.

The Committee to have the oversight of Jonathan Shillaber Jun.r's marriage; report that they attended and it was conducted orderly. —

The Committee to audit the Treasurer's accounts and
Committee's settle with the Overseers of the Poor, presented the following
report. report. viz: —

"Agreeably to our appointment, we have audit-"ed the accounts of the Treasurer and Overseers of the poor "and find a balance due the Treasurer of Eight Dollars "and ten cents. We think it will be necessary to raise "five Hundred and fifty dollars to meet the demands "against the meeting and the probable expenses for the "year ensuing exclusive of a demand of some time stand-"ing of about One Hundred and fifty Dollars.—

"To the monthly meeting to be held (Signed) James Purinton
"at Lynn 14th of 2d month 1828 } Jonathan Nichols."—

which is accepted, and the Preparative meetings are directed to pay their respective proportions to the Treasurer of this meeting.—

J. Bell
continued

The Committee to visit John Bell inform, they have attended to their appointment, but not being ready to report, are Continued.—

The Committee to visit William H. Mower present-ed the following report. Viz:—

"Agreeable to our appointment "we have treated with William H. Mower; he acknowledges "that he had deviated from discipline, as set forth in the "Complaint, but manifests no disposition to conform "to the order of our Society, or to be continued a member "thereof.— We see no encouragement for further treating."—

"To the monthly meeting to be held (Signed) James Purinton
"at Lynn 2d mo. 14th 1828.— } Isaiah Chase.." Committee

W. H. Mower
disowned

which is accepted, and we do therefore, with the concurrence of the Women, deny him the right of membership in our Society, and the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information.—

C. Chase.
disowned.

The Women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Caroline Chase with which this meeting unites.—

Lynn Preparative Meeting inform that Daniel Newhall, requests a certificate of removal for himself and Children to Troy monthly meeting, State of

Second Month. Continued –

D. Newhall's New York, whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson,
certificate Isaac Bassett Jr. and William E. Hacker to make
continued the necessary inquiry, and if no obstruction appears,
unite with the women in preparing one, and present
it to our next monthly meeting. –

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended. –

The business being closed we conclude, purposing to meet again at Lynn, at the usual time in next month. –

Third Month. 1828. –

Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held
at Lynn, 13th of 3rd month. 1828. –

The Representatives from our Preparative Meetings are;
For Salem, Abijah Chase and Enoch Page. –
For Lynn, Samuel Neall and Nathaniel Walden.
Who are present. –

A. Breed The Committee to visit Amos Breed are con-
continued tinued. –

The committee to inform George C. Chase of the decision of the meeting in his case are continued.

J. Bell The Committee to visit John Bell on account
continued of his request, are again continued. –

The committee to inform William W. Mower of
W. W. M. the conclusion of the meeting in his case report he
informed has been informed. –

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal
Certificate for Daniel Newhall and Children to Farmington
for D. N. Meeting, State of New York, present one which is
family approved and the clerk is directed to sign it on
behalf of this meeting. –

Third Month 1828 — continued —

A Communication is recd. from the Overseers by the way of Salem Preparative Meeting respecting Edward Southwick Junr. as follows, viz:—

Complaint agt. E. Southwick

"Edward Southwick Junr. has left the attendance of our religious meetings, and has lately married out of the order of Friends, with a woman not in profession with us; for which he has been treated with."

"in Salem Mo. Meeting. (Signed) "Daniel Osborn }
"Abijah Chase" } Overseers."—

Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall and Isaac Bassett Junr. to visit and treat with him on the subject and report to next monthly meeting.—

E. Estes disowned

The Women inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Eunice Estes, with which we concur.—

The business being accomplished we conclude, purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

Fourth Month 1825

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem
14th of 4 mo. 1825.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are
[illegible] John Barker Jr. & [illegible] appear
Estes Newhall, William Breed, & Micajah Pratt who
are present.

The Committee in the case of [illegible] Breed produce the
following report viz: [illegible]
[illegible] on account of
the complaint; he appears to be sensible of transgressing the
rules of Society & [illegible] to be continued a mem-
ber thereof: he has sent a communication to this meeting
which we believe he is in a good degree sincere in."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 4 mo 10th 1825" } "Abner Chase" "James Purinton" "Samuel Neal"

S. Breed [illegible] His acknowledgment then read, [illegible]
is accepted; he is therefore restored to the privileges
of our Society, [illegible], & the Com-
mittee are continued to inform him thereof.

The Committee [illegible]
[illegible] of this meeting [illegible] continued.

J. Cole continued The committee in case of [illegible] on account
of his request are continued

The Committee in the case of [illegible] Newhall Jr. produce
the following report viz: [illegible]
[illegible]; [illegible]
[illegible]
steps he has taken as he has proceeded deliberately therein & mani-
fests no disposition to [illegible]."

"To the monthly meeting at Salem [illegible] 1825" } "Estes Newhall" "Isaac Bassett"

Fourth Month Continued

[illegible] continuance of the
[illegible]
[illegible] the Committee are continued [illegible] information.

A Complaint is recd from the overseers viz of [illegible] Preparative meeting against [illegible] Alley Jr as [illegible] [illegible] he [illegible] to the principle of truth in his own mind, has we believe for a [illegible] [illegible] left the attendance of our religious meetings; he has [illegible]

"To the Mo. meeting to be held at Salem 10 of 4 mo. 1828" } "Isaac Bassett" "James Purinton" [illegible]

Whereupon we appoint Theophilus Breed & [illegible] Chase to visit & treat with him on the subject & report to next mo. meeting.

A complaint against Nathan [illegible] is recd from the overseers viz of Lynn Preparative meeting as follows viz "Nathan [illegible] [illegible] of truth departed from moral rectitude by an illicit intercourse with [illegible] [illegible] treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 10th of 4 mo. 1828." } [illegible] Estes Newhall [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] conduct & report to next mo. meeting.

[illegible]

C. [illegible] discontinued.

Complaint agst M. Alley Jr.

Complaint against N. B. Newhall.

Complaint D. Silsbee — from the overseers &c of Lynn Preparative meeting as follows viz "Daniel Silsbee has through inattention to the principles of truth & the good order of our society left the attendance of our religious meetings & has in some unguarded moments used unbecoming language & is concerned in the business of retailing ardent spirits; on which accounts we have [illegible]

minute — [illegible] to the [illegible] meeting held at Salem 10th of 4 mo 1828" } "Isaac Bassett Jr" "Daniel Johnson" "Estes Newhall" } Overseers

Therefore we appoint Micajah Chase, Wm Hacker & Isaac Bassett Jr to visit & treat with him on the subject of said complaint & report to our next mo meeting.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Fifth Month, 1828

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn [illegible] of 5 mo 1828.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem [illegible] Chase & Wm E Hacker; Lynn David Johnson, Micajah C Pratt & Charles Chase who are present.

The queries were read, with answers from our Preparative meetings from which a summary is compiled for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 22nd instant & James Purinton, Micajah Chase, Samuel [illegible], Estes Newhall, & Wm Bassett are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

[illegible] informed — The committee to inform [illegible] Bruce of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee to inform George C Chase of the decision

Fifth Month Continued

of the meeting in his case are continued

The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

E. Southwick Jr. continued.

The committee to inform Edward Southwick Jr of the conclusion of the meeting in his case are continued

M. Alley Jr. continued.

The committee in the case of Micajah Alley Jr are continued

N. Newhall continued.

The committee in the case of Nathan Newhall are continued

D. Silsbee continued.

The committee in the case of Daniel Silsbee are continued

D. Holder requests certificate.

Daniel Holder having in the 1st mo. 1825, recd a certificate for himself & family from this to Newyork monthly meeting, since which he returned to reside within the limits of this meeting & said certificate not having been presented is now returned. We are informed that they have again removed to Newyork & request our certificate to that monthly meeting; therefore we appoint Estes Newhall, Micajah C. Pratt, Jonathan Nichols & Wm. E. Hacker to investigate the subject & report a statement of facts as they find them, & if no obstruction appears unite with the women in preparing a certificate for himself & family & present to our next monthly meeting

The business being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn on 4th day before the second 5th day in next month

Sixth Month 1828

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 6 mo. 1828.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Moses Chase, & David Stone for Lynn Benjamin Swinton & Isaiah Chase who are all present but one.

The committee to inform George C Chase not having performed that service are continued.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell inform they have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report are continued.

E. Southwick informed. The committee continued to inform Edward Southwick Jr of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee to visit Micajah Alley Jr presented the following report viz. "We have visited Micajah Alley Jr on account of the complaint brought against him, which he acknowledges to be correct; but he is in the common & daily use of ardent spirits & also that he hath left the attendance of our meetings, yet is desirous to be continued a member of Society; we are of opinion that any further labour will be without effect"
"To the monthly meeting" "Abijah Chase"
"Theophilus Breed"

Mi. Alley Jr disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted & we do hereby with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

R. Pratt disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Rebecka Pratt with which this meeting unites.

N. Newhall continued. The committee in the case of Nathan Newhall inform they have attended to their appointment & Isaac

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Bassett Jr. is appointed to join them in further service.

The committee in the case of Daniel Silsbee presented the following report viz: "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Daniel Silsbee on account of the complaint against him; he acknowledges the correctness of the charges but does not appear disposed to give friends satisfaction for the same; & we see no prospect of usefulness to himself or Society in waiting longer on him."

"To the monthly meeting at Lynn } "Abijah Chase"
11 of 6 mo. 1828" } "Wm E Hacker"
"Isaac Bassett Jr."

D. Silsbee disowned. which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal in Daniel Wilder & family inform they have attended to the subject but not being ready to prepare one at this time are continued.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting against Ezekiel Roberts a member of Dover monthly meeting is recd at this time as follows

Complt. agst. E. Roberts. viz "Ezekiel Roberts a member of Dover monthly meeting has departed from the good order used by marrying with a woman not in membership with us for which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting" } "Abijah Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols" } overseers

and the Clerk is directed to forward the same to that meeting by an extract of this minute.

S. A. Chase requests a Certificate. This meeting is informed that Stephen A. Chase has removed within the limits of Dover monthly meeting; & having requested our certificate we appoint

Sixth Month Continued

Wm C Hacker & Jonathan Nichols to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one & present to our next monthly meeting for approbation

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended

Epistle rec. The Epistle from the yearly meeting of friends in London for 1827 was read at this time to our satisfaction & encouragement

The business being closed at this time we conclude [illegible] to meet again at Salem at the usual time next month

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Seventh Month 1828

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 10th of 7 mo 1828

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Abijah Chase for Lynn Charles Chase & Daniel Johnson who are present

The committee to inform George C Chase of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

The committee to inform Micajah Alley Jr of the conclusion of the meeting in his case are continued

N. Newhall continued. The committee to visit Nathan Newhall are continued

D. Silsbee informed. The committee to inform Daniel Silsbee of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal for Daniel Holder & family to Newyork monthly meeting

Seventh Month Continued

D. H.

rtificate &c. ommittee presented one which not meeting the approbation of this meeting is returned to them & they are continued.

A. Braithwaite present. Our esteemed Friend Anna Braithwaite from England attended this meeting & several appointed meetings in this vicinity with a certificate from the monthly meeting of Kendall endorsed by Westmoreland Quarterly meeting held at Kendall 10th of 4 mo 1825 & one from the yearly meeting of ministers & Elders held in London by adjournments from the 16th to the 27th of 5 mo 1825 expressive of their unity & sympathy with her in her prospects of religious service in this country. After being engaged therein about a year it appeared she believed it right for her to return home for a season; when apprehending the time to have come for the completion of her service here endorsements on said certificate from the above said monthly & quarterly meetings were granted her; A certificate was also granted her from the morning meeting of ministers & Elders held in London 12th of 3 mo 1827 testifying their approbation with her return; all of which were read in this meeting to our satisfaction & her company & Gospel labours have been to our encouragement & edification.

I. Braithwaite present. Also our Esteemed Friend Isaac Braithwaite her husband & companion to the aforesaid Friend with a certificate from Kendall mo meeting whose company has been acceptable and

M. Allinson present. Our Esteemed Friend Mary Allinson companion to our Friend Anna Braithwaite also attended this meeting with a copy of a minute from Burlington monthly meeting New Jersey whose company has been acceptable.

M. E. Hewitt disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Mary E. Hewitt with which this meeting unites.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal for Stephen H. Chase to Dover mo meeting presented one which

Seventh Month Continued

S. L. Chase Certificate being read & approved the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

I. Breed Complaint A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting was rec'd at this time against Isaiah Breed as follows viz. Isaiah Breed has left the attendance of our religious meetings & married with a woman not in membership or profession with us, for which he had been treated with.

To the monthly meeting
to be held at Salem 16th 7 mo. 1828 } Isaac Bassett Jr
Estes Newhall } overseers

Whereupon we appoint Isaac Bassett Jr & David Johnson to visit & treat with him on the subject of the complaint & report to a future meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Eighth Month 1828

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 8 mo. 1828.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Enoch Page & Jonathan Nichols; for Lynn Daniel Johnson & Richard Holder who are present.

The Queries have been read in this meeting with the required answers from our preparative meetings from which a summary is prepared for the quarterly meeting to be held at Lynn the 21st instant & Abner Chase, Estes Newhall, Wm. C. Hacker, Micajah C. Pratt & Jonathan Nichols are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

G. C. Chase informed. The committee to inform George C. Chase of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request

Eighth Month Continued

J. Bell cont.d are continued

M. Alley Jr. The committee to inform Micajah Alley of the conclu-
continued. sion of this meeting in his case inform they have attended to it
but he having been absent from home for some time they are
Continued

N. Newhall The committee to visit Nathan Newhall inform
continued. they have attended to their appointment but not being ready
to make a full report at this time are continued

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to
D. Potter Newark monthly meeting for Daniel Potter & family
continued. presented one which being read & claiming the weighty con-
sideration of this meeting the committee are desired to take it
& present it again at our next mo. meeting

M. Houghton. The women inform they have concluded to disown the
disowned. right of membership in our Society of Miriam Houghton with
which this meeting concurs

The committee in the case of Isaiah Breed presented the
following report viz "Agreeably to appointment we have visited
with Isaiah Breed on account of the complaint exhibited
against him; he expressed that he had deliberately taken
those steps for which he was complained of & endeavoured
to justify his so doing; we therefore see no use in further labour"

To the monthly meeting to be } David Johnson
I. Breed held at Lynn 14th of 8mo. 1828 } Isaac Bassett Jr.

disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore
with concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society & the
committee are continued to inform him thereof

T. N. Breed Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Theophilus N.
requests Breed requests a certificate to East Greenwich mo. meeting to
certificate. accomplish marriage; wherefore we appoint Samuel Boyce
& William Bassett to make the necessary inquiry & if no
obstruction appears prepare & one present to our next monthly
meeting for approbation

Eighth Month continued

James Oliver requests certificate. Lynn Preparative meeting also inform that James Oliver requests a certificate for himself & family to Falmouth mo meeting, whereupon we appoint Isaac Bassett Jr, Samuel Johnson & Benjamin Purinton to unite with the women in preparing one & present it to our next mo meeting

W. Bassett recorder. The recorder of Marriages, Births, Deaths, & Burials having removed from within the limits of this meeting Wm Bassett is appointed to that service

The Committee to take the necessary care respecting children to be admitted to the yearly meeting Boarding School having stood for some time are now released & Abijah Chase Jun, Eb Hacker, Isaac Bassett Jr & Estes Newhall are appointed to that service

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month

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Ninth Month 1826

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 9 mo. 1826

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Henry Chase & Daniel Osborn; for Lynn Stephen Oliver & Samuel Neal who are all present but one

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

M. Allen informed. The committee to inform Micajah Allen of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he hath been informed

N. N. Continued. The Committee to visit Nathan Newhall are continued.

J. Oliver's Certificate approved. The committee on account of James Oliver's certificate for himself & family produced it which being read is approved & the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting

Ninth Month Continued

I. Breed informed.

The committee to inform Isaiah Breed of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

T. N. Breed's certificate not wanted.

The committee to prepare a certificate for Theophilus N. Breed to accomplish marriage inform that the certificate is not wanted; the committee are accordingly dismissed.

J. Oliver's Certificate.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Falmouth monthly meeting for James Oliver & family presented one which being read is approved & the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

D. Johnson & M. Breed published.

Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Daniel Johnson & Miriam Breed purpose laying their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other; whereupon we appoint James Purinton & Charles Chase to make the necessary enquiry into said Daniel's clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting.

Several extracts from the minutes of our yearly meeting are received at this time as follows viz.

At our yearly meeting of Friends for New England held on Rhode Island in the 6 mo. 1828.

The following minutes adopted with the concurrence of the women's meeting were directed to be forwarded to our several Quarterly & Monthly meetings.

Minutes from N. E. Y. Meeting adopted.

This meeting having been introduced into a weighty consideration of the relation in which we stand towards friends of some of the other yearly meetings on this continent in which difficulties have lamentably prevailed, till separation has been the result; we have deemed it our indispensable duty to meet the exigencies of the occasion, by manifesting our unity with those meetings which have continued steadfast in their adherence to the ancient order, discipline, & faith of the Society & our disunity with those who have receded therefrom; & it is therefore our conclusion, that no removal or other certificates be received from or transmitted to such meetings as are known to have receded from the ancient foundation of the Society. And friends are cautioned against opening our meeting Houses to any who have identified themselves with the bodies thus receding; & all our Members are advised not to attend meetings that may be held or appointed by such ~

The annexed extract from the minutes of the Yearly meeting of Friends held in Philadelphia by adjournments from the 21 to the 26th of the 4 mo last shows what meetings within its limits are in unity with that Yearly meeting ~

Till some more certain information shall be received of the situation of the various meetings within the Compass of the Yearly meeting of New York, & other Yearly meetings in which division, or a departure from those principles & practises which once united us together as one people, is unhappily manifesting itself, we recommend to all our Subordinate meetings the exercise of a sound discretion in the premises. And should cases occur in which any of our meetings find it difficult to decide they are requested to apply to the meeting for Sufferings for its advice; & said meeting is requested to give its attention to the subject, & render all the assistance herein from time to time, that it may be qualified to afford ~

From the minutes of said meeting ~

Abraham Shearman Junr Clerk

Extracts. from Phila

Extract from the minutes of the Yearly meeting of Friends held in Philadelphia, by adjournments, from the 21 to the 26th inclusive, of the 4 mo, 1828 accompanying their epistle of that date -

On considering the difficulty & embarrassment in which meetings may be involved for want of knowing whether certificates which may be produced to them are issued by meetings in unity with us, several Friends are appointed in each of our

Ninth Month Continued

Quarterly meetings as Correspondents, one or more of whom are to sign (in addition to the usual mode of signing) all certificates of removal, & all other certificates or minutes given forth for friends; and it is requested in order that certificates may duly reach the meetings to which they are directed, that they be addressed or directed to one of those Friends.

The names of the Correspondents with their respective places of residence are here subjoined: —

Correspondents named

Philadelphia Quarter — Joseph Whitaker, — Muncy.
John Lee, Exeter.
John Paul
Isaac W. Morris } Philadelphia.
Abington Quarter — Charles Shoemaker, Abington.
Jesse Spencer, Gwynedd.
James Bell, Stroudsburgh.
Bucks Quarter — Joseph Satterthwaite, Falls Township
Benjamin Wiggins, Wrights Town } Bucks Co.
John W. Balderson, Solebury } Pennsylvania
Concord Quarter — Joseph Rhoads, Marple Township } Delaware Co.
Nathan Sharpless, Concord } Pennsylvania
John Forsyth, West Goshen, Chester County, Pennsylvania
Caln Quarter — Robert Moore, Sadsbury
Thomas Jackson, Robeson } Chester County
George G Ashbridge, Downingtown } Pennsylvania
Western Quarter William Barber, London Grove
Edward B Temple, Parkersville Post office } Chester Co.
Thomas Lamborn, New Garden } Pennsylvania
Burlington Quarter William Allison Burlington city
William Newbold, Upper Springfield
Samuel Bunting, Crosswicks, Burlington Co. } New Jersey
Daniel Parker, Tuckerton,

Ninth Month continued.

Haddonfield Quarter –	Barzillai Leeds, Great Egg Harbour John Gill, Haddonfield Joseph Matlack, Moorestown Joshua Stokes, Upper Evesham	New Jersey
Salem Quarter –	Samuel Webster, Woodsbury Casper Wistar, Salem George Bacon, Greenwich	New Jersey
Shrewsbury & Rahway Quarter	Benjamin Parker, Shrewsbury Jacob Parker, Rahway Nathan Vail, Plainfield	New Jersey

At our yearly meeting of Friends for New England held on Rhode Island in the 6 mo. 1828.

The following report of the Boarding School Committee having been read & considered is satisfactory to this meeting & the Clerk is directed to forward copies thereof to our several monthly meetings for their information.

From the minutes of the meeting aforesaid.

Abraham Shearman Jr Clerk

To the Yearly meeting.

N.E.Y.M.S. Report The Boarding school Committee report; that they have given their attention to the concerns of the institution, during the past year, & feel encouraged to believe that the expectations of Friends, in regard to its usefulness to the children & youth of the society will be realized.

The school is continued under the charge of Enoch & Lydia Breed as Superintendents; Isaiah Jones, George Jones, Moses Mitchell, Abigail Pierce, Mary Almy, & Lydia R. Allen, as teachers. The average number of scholars for the year past has been one Hundred & Twenty one; & their general conduct & improvement and were satisfactory to the Committee

Meetings for worship have been regularly held & occasionally attended by some of the Committee.

The family has been preserved in a good degree of harmony.

The account of the treasurer of the School fund has been received & audited; & the State of the fund is such, that the committee think it safe to propose to the Yearly meeting, that children who are members of this Yearly meeting be admitted after the 1st of 7 mo next at 12 & ½ Dollars per Quarter, & that the several monthly meetings have the priveledge of sending one child through the year, or two children six months each free of expense; and that should any surplus remain, that the committee may consider it safe to appropriate, that it may be at their disposal in aid of the charitable funds of this institution.

The committee feel it to be their duty again to recommend to the attention of Parents & others having the care of children, & to the committees of Monthly meetings their previous advices on the interesting subject of plainness & particularly the minutes accompanying their Report in 1825. which were printed & distributed by direction of the Yearly Meeting.

Signed on behalf of the Committee
Providence 5mo. 23. 1828. Moses Brown
Elizabeth Congdon

Subscription for Evans's exposition

Also an extract from the meetings for sufferings recommending subscriptions to be opened for a Book entitled, "an exposition of the faith of the religious society of Friends commonly called Quakers in the fundamental doctrines of the christian religion principally selected from their early writings by Thomas Evans;" whereupon we appoint Wm Bassett, Wm H Chase,

Ninth Month Continued

Daniel Osborne & James I Boyce to solicit Subscribers for said Book & report the number of copies subscribed for to a future meeting

Epistles reads Epistles from our yearly meeting have also been rec.d at this time which are sent down to our Preparative meetings for distribution

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month

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Tenth Month 1826

Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 9th of 10 mo 1826

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Elijah Chase & Wm H Chase for Lynn Wm B. Breed Isaac Bassett Jr & Estes Newhall who are present

The reasons offered for the absence of one of our representatives last month are sattisfactory to the meeting

The queries have been read with the required answers from our preparative meetings from which a Summary is prepared for the quarterly meeting to be held at Weare the 16th instant & Estes Newhall, Enoch Page, Isaac Bassett Jr Stephen Oliver & Samuel Boyce are appointed to attend the same as representatives

J. Bell continued The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

N. Newhall continued The committee to visit Nathan Newhall are continued

The committee to inquire into Daniel Johnson's clearness on account of marriage report they find nothing to

D. Johnson obstruct his proceeding therein with Miriam Breed;
at liberty he is therefore at liberty to accomplish the same in
to marry. the order of our Society & Isaac Bassett Jr & Ester Newhall
are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our
next monthly meeting

The committee to solicit subscribers for the
book published by Thomas Evans report that twenty copies are
Subscribed for & the clerk is directed to forward the infor-
mation accordingly & request them to be sent to this mee-
ting

J. Gove & Salem Preparative meeting inform that John Gove
S. Quintrac of Weare & Sarah Quintrac purpose publishing their inten-
published. tions of marriage before this meeting; they have according-
ly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage
with each other & are refered to our next monthly
meeting for an answer

Complaint A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn
against Preparative meeting is recd at this time against Samuel
S. Silsbee Jr. Silsbee Jr as follows viz "Samuel Silsbee Jr has wilfully
left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends
those of another society; for which he has been treated with"

"To the monthly meeting
to be held at Salem 2 of 10 mo. 1825" "Daniel Johnson"
"James Purinton" overseers

Whereupon we appoint Benjamin C Pratt & Daniel
Johnson to visit & treat with him on account of the com-
plaint & report to a future meeting

A communication from Vassalboro' monthly meeting
is recd at this time as follows viz

"To Salem monthly meeting
A complaint has been forwarded to this meeting
against Thomas Bulman which is as follows" viz
"To the preparative for the monthly meeting in

Tenth Month Continued —

Compl.t against T. Butman. the seventh month, Thomas Butman a member of Salem monthly meeting, has notwithstanding previous caution married a woman not of our Society & has neglected the attendance of our meetings, & departed from plainness in dress & address — For all which he has been laboured with but to no sattisfaction on his part" —

"Vassalboro' 7 mo. 7th 1825" } "Paul Taber" "Caleb Nichols" } overseers"

"He being a member of Salem monthly meeting the clerk is directed to transfer the same to that meeting, together with a copy of this minute —

Extracted from the minutes of Vassalboro' monthly meeting held at East Pond 7 mo. 16th 1825" —

"Robert Winslow Clerk"

This meeting therefore requests their further care in the case that they may visit him on our behalf; & the Clerk is directed to forward the information to that meeting by an extract of this minute —

communication r m over respectg. E Roberts. A Communication from Dover monthly meeting is also rec.d at this time on account of the complaint forwarded to them by this meeting against Ezekiel Roberts as follows viz —

"To Salem monthly meeting of Friends"

A Communication with an annexed Complaint respecting Ezekiel Roberts a member of this meeting has been rec.d at this time from your mo. meeting; wherefore it is concluded to request Salem mo. meeting to labour with Ezekiel Roberts on our behalf & return your opinion of his case to this meeting — Signed by direction & on behalf of Dover monthly meeting held 23d of 7 mo. 1825 —

"By Joseph Tuttle Clerk"

Tenth Month Continued

Whereupon we appoint Abner Chase & [illegible] Nichols to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to a future meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eleventh Month 1826.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 11 mo 1826.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborn & Daniel Buxton; for Lynn Isaac Bassett & Nathaniel [illegible] who are present.

J. Bell The committee to visit John Bell on account

continued. of his conduct are continued.

N. Newhall. The committee to visit Nathan Newhall are

continued. Continued.

The committee to have the oversight of Daniel [illegible] marriage report they attended thereto & it was conducted orderly.

John Gove from Weare monthly meeting having

J. Gove's produced a certificate showing his clearness of marriage

certificate engagements with any other & now at liberty to accomplish marriage with Sarah N [illegible] in the manner of our Society; nothing appearing to obstruct his proceeding therein & Jonathan Nichols & Daniel Osborn are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

S. Silsbee Jr. The committee to visit Samuel Silsbee Jr are

continued continued.

Eleventh Month Continued

6. Roberts continued — The committee to visit Ezekiel Roberts by the request of Dover monthly meeting are continued.

Compl.t against J. B. Osborn. — A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting is read at this time against John B. Osborn as follows viz. "John B. Osborn a member of our Society hath neglected the attendance of our meetings & attends those of another Society; he hath also met with a military company for choosing officers, & is employed in a store which retails ardent spirits, & deviates from our discipline in other respects; for which departure we have treated with him."

"To the Monthly meeting" } "Abijah Chase"
} "Jonathan [illegible]"
"overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Henry Chase & Wm. E. Hacker to visit & treat with him on account of the Complaint & report at a future meeting.

The representatives to our last quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month

Twelfth Month 1828

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 12 mo 1828

The representatives from our preparative meetings are in Salem James Pope & Abijah Chase; In Lynn Richard Holder & Samuel Neal who are present

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

N. Newhall. Continued. The committee to visit Nathan Newhall inform they have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report at this time are continued

The committee to have the oversight of John Gove's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly

S. Silsbee Jr. continued. The committee to visit Samuel Silsbee Jr are continued

E. Roberts. Continued. The committee to visit Ezekiel Roberts on behalf of Dover monthly meeting are continued

J. Bolton Continued. The committee to visit John Bolton are continued

W. B. Brown. Certificate. A certificate from Sandwich monthly meeting is rec'd at this time on behalf of Wm B. Brown which is accepted

J. A. Silsbee disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Julia Ann Silsbee with which this meeting unites

The time having expired for which the Clerks were appointed Daniel Johnson, Abijah Chase, William E. Hacker & Estes Newhall are appointed to consult some suitable persons & propose them at our next monthly meeting

Committee appointed. Jonathan Nichols & Stephen Oliver are appointed to audit the treasurer's acct; settle with the receiver of the box & propose a sum sufficient to meet the expenses

Twelfth Month Continued

for the year ensuing.

School House is disposed — This meeting is informed that Lynn Preparative meeting anticipate a favourable opportunity of disposing of their School House & lot; as it had been for some years past but little occupied this meeting recommends that it be left with them to dispose of as they may think proper; & the overseers are directed to convey it on behalf of the meeting in case a sale of it should be effected; & take the necessary care that the proceeds be safely invested according to discipline.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

First Month 1829.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 8th of 1 mo 1829.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols & Wm E. Hacker for Lynn Charles Cade & Daniel Johnson who are present.

Clerks appointed: — The time having expired for which the Clerks were appointed Samuel Boyce is chosen as clerk & Wm Bassett assistant who being approved are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read with the required answers from our preparative meetings from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Seabrook the 15th Instant & [illegible] Newhall, Charles Cade, Daniel Johnson, Isaac Bassett & Daniel Osborn are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. Bell continued. — The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

The committee to visit Nathan B. Newhall are continued

First Month Continued

The Committee to visit Samuel Silsbee Jr presented the following report viz "Agreeably to appointment we have treated with Samuel Silsbee Jr on account of the complaint brought against him; he acknowledged the statement made therein but manifested no disposition to change his course or conform to the order of society & we see no use in further waiting on him"

"To the Monthly meeting } "Daniel Johnson"
at Salem 8th of 1 mo 1829" } "Micajah C. Pratt"

S. Silsbee Jr. disowned. Which is accepted & we do therefore [illegible] [illegible] discontinuance of him from the right of membership in our society & the Committee are directed to give him the necessary information

The committee to visit Ezekiel Roberts on behalf of Dover monthly meeting presented the following report viz

Report in case of E. Roberts. "We have had an interview with Ezekiel Roberts agreeable to our appointment & found him in a disposition to make Friends satisfaction for the complaint exhibited against him & he appears to us to be sincere in this desire & has handed us a paper which we present"

"To the monthly meeting to be held at } "Abner Chase"
Salem 8th of 1 mo 1829 " } "Ichabod Nichols Jr"

E Which, together with the acknowledgement from him the Clerk is directed to forward to that meeting with an extract of this minute

The committee to visit John P. Osborne presented the following report viz, "Agreeable to appointment we have had an interview with John P. Osborne on the subject of the complaint against him; he admits the justice of the charges but does not appear to be convinced of the impropriety of his conduct or desirous of retaining his right of membership in our society, & we see no use to himself or society in waiting longer on him"

First Month Continued

"To the Monthly meeting at Salem } "Henry Chase"
"held 7th of 1st month 1829" } "Wm E Hacker"
"Committee"

[illegible] Which is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women admit him to the right of membership in our [illegible] Society & the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The Committee to Audit the treasurer's accts are continued.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is recd at this time against Timothy Gile as follows viz

Complt against T. Gile. "Timothy Gile a member of our society has left the attendance of our religious meetings & we believe frequently indulges himself in the intemperate use of ardent Spirits for which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 1 mo 8th 1829" } "Samuel Johnson" "James Purinton" } "Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson & Charles Chase to visit & treat with him & report to a future meeting.

H. Hovey disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Hannah Hovey with which this meeting unites.

H. Chase ministry approved. This meeting is united in approving the public appearances in the ministry of Henry Chase & the Clerk is directed to give the necessary information.

Salem Preparative meeting propose Elijah Chase, Daniel [illegible], Solomon Varney, & Jonathan Nichols; & Lynn preparative meeting propose Daniel Johnson, [illegible] Newhall, Isaac Bassett Jr, Samuel Chase, & James Purinton for the station of overseers who upon deliberation are approved & appointed to that service for one year.

First Month Continued

A communication from our Quarterly meeting is rec^d at this time as follows viz
"At Salem Quarterly meeting of Friends held at Weare 16th of 10 mo 1828"
"It is the conclusion of this meeting that our
Y. M. stock several monthly meetings be requested to forward to the treas-
forwarded. urer of this meeting their respective proportions of yearly meeting stock agreeable to our last yearly apportionment"
"Salem monthly meeting's proportion is twenty eight dollars" "From the minutes of said meeting"
"Isaac Bassett Jr Clk for the day"
And the clerk is directed to forward the sum therein to the Treasurer of that meeting
The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month

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Second Month 1829.

Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 12th of 2 mo 1829.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Buxton Jr & Solomon Varney. For Lynn Nathaniel Walton & Samuel Neal who are present.

J. Bell. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request
continued. are Continued

The committee in the case of Nathan B Newhall presented the following report viz

"Agreeably to appointment we have several times treated with Nathan B Newhall on account of his misconduct as set forth in the complaint; he expressed much sorrow for his transgression & handed us a paper of acknowledgment which we herewith hand to the meeting & nothing appears to us but he is in good measure sincere."

Second Month 1829.

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 12th Instant"

"James Purinton" }
"Isaac Basset" } "Committee"
"Henry Chase" }

N. B. Newhall restored. Which together with the acknowledgement from him is accepted & he is therefore restored to the priveledges of society the women concurring herein & the committee are continued to inform him thereof

S. S. Bl. &c informed. The committee to inform Samuel Sither &c of the decision of this meeting in his case report he had been informed

The committee to inform John I Osborne of the conclusion of the meeting in this case are continued

The committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Treasurer & Overseers of the Poor presented the following report viz

"The committee appointed to audit the accounts of the overseers of the Poor and Treasurer, report a Ballance due the Treasurer of Fifty Seven Dollars & Twenty one cents — The bills presented for the past year have all been settled & each Preparative meeting had their proportion. We recommend the sum of Four Hundred dollars to be raised the present year in the same proportion as heretofore"

Audit'g Committee report

"To the monthly meeting }
12th of 2nd mo. 1829" }

"Stephen Oliver" }
"Jonathan Nichols" } "Committee"

Which is accepted & our Preparative meetings are directed to pay their respective proportions to the treasurers of this meeting

The committee in the case of Timothy Gile presented the following report viz "Agreeably to appointment we have treated with Timothy Gile on account of the Complaint brought against him; the correctness of which he admitted, but manifested no disposition to pursue a different course of conduct or a wish to retain his right in society, we see no use in further waiting on him

To the monthly meeting to }
be held at Lynn 2 mo 12th 1829 }

(Daniel Johnson
(Charles Chase

Second Month Continued.

T. Gile, Which is accepted; & we do conclude with the concurrence
disowned. of the women deny him the right of membership in our society
& the committee are continued to give him the necessary in-
formation.

The representatives to our last quarterly meeting inform
they all attended excepting one, who hath at this time offered a
sattisfactory reason for his absence.

B. F. Hardy. A copy of a minute from Sandwich (N H) monthly
Copy of a minute meeting held the 15th of last month, in favour of Benjamin F.
Hardy is recd at this time.

The business of this meeting being accomplished we
conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time
in next month.

Third Month 1829.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn
12 of 3d mo 1829.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are
for Salem David Osborn & Jonathan Buxton Jr; for Lynn
Charles Chase & Stephen Oliver who are all present but
one, for whose absence a sattisfactory reason is assigned.

J. Bell. The committee to visit John Bell on account of
continued. his request inform that attention has been paid to the case
but having no report to make at this time are continued.

N. B. N. The committee to inform Nathan B. Newhall of his
informed. being restored to the priviledges of our society report he
had been informed.

J. Osborne The committee to inform John B. Osborne of the conclusion
informed. of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

T. Gile. The committee to inform Timothy Gile of the conclu-
informed. sion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Third Month Continued

Complaint
Squires Shove A Complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting against Squires Shove is rec.d at this time as follows viz. "Squires Shove a member of our society has wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another society, & is in the intemperate use of ardent Spirit & has at time been profane in his language; & has also frequented the Theatre; for which departures we have treated with him."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 12th Instant."
"Abijah Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols"
"Daniel Osborn" overseers

Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall, & Henry Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

M. Breed
certificate A certificate from Lynn monthly meeting is rec.d at this time on behalf of Moses Breed which is accepted.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

Fourth Month 1829.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 9th of 4 mo 1829.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are in Salem Abijah Chase & Enoch Page, In Lynn Zacharis Breed Micajah C. Pratt & Daniel Johnson who are all present.

J. Bell
continued, The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are Continued.

S. Shove cont.d The Committee to visit Squires Shove are Continued on acc.t of a minute from Berwick monthly

Fourth Month Continued

meeting dated 1st mo 26th 1828 on behalf of Timothy Hill is read at this time.

The business being closed we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Fifth month 1829.

At Salem Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 5 mo 1829.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Wm E. Hacker & Daniel Buxton for Lynn Isaac Bassett & James Purinton who are all present but one.

The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 20th Instant & Ezra Newhall, Isaac Bassett, Jonathan Nichols, Micajah Chase, & Samuel Chase are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. Bell continued — The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

S. Shove continued — The Committee to visit Samuel Shove inform they have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report at this time are continued.

proposition for Committe appointed to visit Frds families. — On noticing the many deficiencies in the answers to the queries, a concern was spread over this meeting by the women that a weighty & judicious Committee be appointed to visit friends families on that account as way may open; which concern after a season of deliberation was united with but the meeting through weakness not seeing its way to enter into the appointment at this time, it was deferred untill another month for further consideration.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn on 4th Day before the 2d 5th Day in next month.

Sixth Month 1829 —

At a Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 10th of 6 mo 1829 —

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are present Stephen Nichols & Enoch Page for Lynn James Purinton & David Bladen who are present —

J. B. The Committee to visit John Bell on acc of his
continued. request are continued —

S. Shove The Committee to visit Samuel Shove inform they
continued. have attended to their appointment but not being prepared with a report at this time are continued —

The subject of appointing a Committee to visit friends families on account of the deficiencies in the answers to the queries claiming the solid consideration of the meeting is again deferred untill another month; & the women are desired to be encouraged to proceed therein as they may think proper —

complaint A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn
J. Chase 3rd preparative meeting is recd at this time against Jacob Chase 3d as follows viz — "Jacob Chase 3d a member of our Society, has by neglecting that preserving principle vouchsafed to all neglected the attendance of our religious meetings & at times has we believe indulged in the intemperate use of ardent spirits & has lately married out of the order of our society with a woman not in profession with us for which he has been treated with"

"To the monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn 10th of 6 mo 1829"
"Daniel Bladen"
"Estes Newhall"
"James Purinton"

Whereupon we appoint Abner Chase & Theophilus Breed to visit & treat with him on acc thereof & report to our next monthly meeting —

Certificate Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Mary
requested Phillips requests a certificate of removal to China mo meeting
for N. H. P. for her son Nathan H Phillips a minor — whereupon we

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appoint Saml Bassett & Estes Newhall to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one & present to our next monthly meeting for approbation

A communication from Dover monthly meeting is recd at this time as follows viz.

"Received the following communication from
E. Roberts. Salem monthly meeting respecting Ezekiel Roberts - also
restored. the following acknowledgement from him - which after deliberate consideration is accepted & he continued a member; & the Clerk is directed to give Salem monthly meeting information of the conclusion of this meeting in his case by an extract of this minute"

"Taken from the minutes of Dover monthly meeting held 15th of 4 mo 1829"

"Joseph Tuttle Clerk"

E. Roberts A certificate of removal is also recd at this time
certificate. on behalf of Ezekiel Roberts which is accepted
accepted. The representatives to our last quarterly meeting inform they all attended

The reasons offered for the absence of one of the representatives last month are satisfactory to the meeting

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month

Seventh Month 1829.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 9th of 7mo. 1829.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Buxton Jr & Allen Chase, for Lynn James Purinton & John Pratt also are present.

J. Bell The committee to visit John Bell on account of his
continued. request inform that attention has been paid to the subject; but having no report to make at this time are continued.

The committee to visit Squires Shove presented the following report viz. Agreeing to appointment we have had an interview with Squires Shove; he admits the truth of the Complaint & it did not appear that his mind was unpleasantly affected towards Society; he seems desirous to leave his habits of intemperance, yet he manifests no disposition to attend our meetings or to conform to our discipline in other respects.

To the monthly meeting } Peter Sewell
at Salem 7 mo 9th } Henry Chase

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of
S. Shove, membership in our Society untill he shall return & make
disowned. friends satisfaction for his outgoings which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The subject of appointing a committee to visit friends, families again coming weightily before the meeting is deferred untill another month.

J. Chase Jr. The committee to visit Jacob Chase Jr. are con-
continued. tinued.

E. Roberts, The committee to inform Ezekiel Roberts of
informed the conclusion of Dover monthly meeting in his case report he had been informed.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal

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for Nathan M. Phillips are continued

The women inform they have concluded to disown the

N. Collins. right of membership in our Society of Nancy Collins with

disowned. which this meeting unites

The business being closed we conclude here having to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month

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Eighth Month 1829.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 8 mo. 1829

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols & [illegible] Varney for Lynn Micajah C. Pratt Isaac Bassett & Daniel Johnson who are present

The Queries have been read in this meeting with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Lynn the 20th Instant [illegible] Chase, Nathaniel Walden, [illegible] Boyce [illegible] Chase & James Purinton are appointed to attend the same as representatives

J. Bell. The committee to visit John Bell on account of

continued his request with him have attended to the subject but having no report to make at this time are continued

The Committee to inform Squires Shove are continued

The subject of appointing a Committee to visit Friends families again claiming the solid consideration of this meeting is continued

The committee to visit Jacob Chase 3d presented the following report. viz. "In compliance with our appointment we have had an interview with Jacob Chase 3d on account of the complaint exhibited against him which he ad-

Eighth Month Continued

mitted to be nearly correct, not however perfectly so in relation to the intemperate use of ardent Spirits; he appeared to be sensible & was willing to admit he had too far indulged in this pernicious propensity, but of late had become more temperate; Although he appeared to receive our visit friendly, such however was the State & disposition of his mind as relates to this part of the complaint & that also as respects his absenting himself from our religious meetings that little room was left to induce a belief that any benefit would result to him or Society in waiting longer on him.

All which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 13th of 8 mo. 1829

Abner Chase
Theophilus Breed

J. Chase Jr. disowned — Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

N. M. P's certificate — The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Salem monthly meeting for Nathan M Phillips presented one which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.

Comp't ag'st B. Huntington — A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem preparative meeting is rec'd, at this time against Benjamin Huntington as follows viz Benjamin Huntington a member of our society hath we believe through inattention to that principle which would preserve him departed from the good order amongst us in that of not attending our mid-week meetings & also much inattention to plainness of dress & address & hath lately married with a woman not in profession with us.

For which he has been treated with

Eighth Month Continued

To the monthly meeting 8 mo. 1829.

Solomon Varney }
Daniel Osborne } Overseers.

Whereupon we appoint Abner Chase & Isaac Bassett to visit & treat with him on a/c thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Complaint against A. Houghton Jr. — A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is recd. at this time against Abel Houghton Jr. as follows viz. Abel Houghton Jr. a member of our Society has (by inattention to the principles professed by us) for a long time neglected the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another society for which he had been treated with.

Daniel Johnson }
James Purinton } overseers

Whereupon we appoint Theophilus Breed & Abijah Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next mo. meeting.

E. Gove & family. Certificate. — A Certificate of removal on behalf of Ezra Gove & family, from Weare monthly meeting is recd. at this time which is accepted.

S. Jenkins Certificate. — A certificate of removal on behalf of Stephen Jenkins from Dover monthly meeting is also recd. at this time which is accepted.

Our Esteemed Friend Elizabeth Breed Spread before

E. Breed. concern. — this meeting a prospect which rested on her mind to attend the ensuing Quarterly meetings of Dover Falmouth & Vassalboro'; which claiming the consideration of this meeting is united with. She being a minister in unity the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Ninth Month 1829.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 16th of 9 mo 1829.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Osborne & James Pope, for Lynn Theophilus Breed & Isaiah [illegible] who are present.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

The committee to inform Squires Shove are continued.

The appointment of a committee to visit Friends families is again deferred until another month.

The committee to inform Jacob Chase of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

B. Huntington continued. The committee to visit Benjamin Huntington inform they have paid attention to the subject but having no report to make at this time are continued.

The committee to visit Abel Houghton Jr presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Abel Houghton Jr; he admits the truth of the complaint against him, but fully justifies the course he has taken, & does not appear sensible of the loss he has sustained by leaving our society. & although he manifests no hard feelings against Friends, yet we think any further labour would be unavailing.

To the monthly meeting } Theophilus Breed / Abijah Chase } Committee

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the A. Houghton Jr disowned concurrence of the women disown him the right of membership in our society until he shall return & make Friends satisfaction for his outgoings which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

M. Sprague disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Maria Sprague with which this meeting unites.

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J. Huntington & L. Breed published.

Lynn Preparative meeting informs that Jacob Huntington from Weare monthly meeting & Lavina Breed purpose laying their intentions of marriage before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other & are refered to our next monthly meeting for an answer.

A. Hill copy of a minute.

A copy of a minute from Berwick monthly meeting on behalf of Abner Hill is recd. at this time.

Epistles from the Yearly meeting of London for the year 1828 have been recd. at this time, which are sent down to our preparative meetings & directed to be read at the close of a First day meeting.

E. Southwick. disowned.

The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Esther Southwick, late Fowler, with which this meeting unites.

The representatives to our last quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

A. Keene concern.

Our Beloved Friend Avis Keene informed this meeting she had a prospect of attending the ensuing Quarterly meeting at Sandwich; also that she had long felt her mind drawn to visit the families constituting Sandwich monthly meeting; which this meeting feelingly unites with; she being a minister in unity is therefore left at liberty to pursue her prospect as truth may open the way; & the Clerk is directed to furnish her with an extract of this minute.

Y. Meeting extracts.

Extracts from the minutes of our Yearly meeting have been recd. at this time as follows viz.

"At our Yearly meeting of Friends for New-England held on Rhode-Island from the 14th to the 18th inclusive of 6mo. 1829 — The following report of the Boarding school Committee was read & considered, & being satisfactory to this meeting the Clerk is directed to forward copies thereof to our several monthly meetings. From the minutes of said meeting.

"Abraham Sherman Jr. Clerk"

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To the Yearly Meeting

Y. M. B. S. Reports.

The Boarding School Committee report, That in pursuance of their appointment they have paid attention to the superintendence of the Institution the year past, & believe that its various Concerns have been Conducted in accordance with the design of Friends in its establishment; & meetings for worship have been regularly kept up.

The school has been conducted during the past year under the care of Enoch & Lydia Breed as superintendents, who still remain in that capacity, & Stephen & Hannah Gould have been usefully engaged as assistants in the cares of the institution, for a few months past. Isaiah Jones, Moses Mitchell, Joseph King; Abigail Pierce, Mary Chace, Lydia B. Allen, & Sarah Fry. have been engaged as Teachers most of the year.

Several of these have left or are about leaving the school & arrangements have been made & are making by the committee to supply their places.

The greatest number of scholars at any one time as reported to the Committee was one Hundred & Eighty Four; the average number for the year past one Hundred & Thirty Five; & the good conduct & improvement manifested has been generally satisfactory to the Committee.

The accounts of the treasurer of the school fund have been examined & audited, & the state of the fund is such that the committee think it safe to propose to the yearly meeting that children who are members of this Yearly Meeting, continue to be admitted at twelve dollars & a half per Quarter; & that the several monthly meetings again have the privilege of sending one child through the year, or two children six months each free of expense; & that when from any peculiarity of circumstances the Committees of monthly meetings may consider it desirable to send a child for three months only; they have the liberty of doing it provided that no more than two children be at the Institution

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at one time from the same monthly meeting on this privilege; and being apprised that the two monthly meetings on Nantucket have been united into one meeting, the Committee after considering the circumstance, propose that the united Meeting have the same privilege of sending children to the school, as has heretofore been enjoyed by the two Monthly Meetings separately.

Signed on behalf of the Committee by

Providence 5th mo 8 1829 } Moses Brown
Mary B Allen

At our yearly meeting of Friends for New-England held on Rhode-Island from the 14th to the 18th inclusive of the 6 mo. 1829.

Minutes from the Committee on the State of Society

The committee on the State of Society, to which was referred Minutes of the yearly meetings of London, New-York, Baltimore, Ohio & Indiana, received at this time have given attention to the subject, & considered it in connection with the relation in which we stand towards other Yearly meetings of Friends in this country, & propose the adoption of the following minute, which being read & considered we united with & copies thereof directed to be forwarded to our several Quarterly & monthly meetings; & also to be transmitted to the several yearly meetings with which we correspond.

This Meeting having last year been introduced into much exercise, on account of the difficulties which had been introduced into our religious society in various sections of the country, & which had prevailed untill separation had been the sorrowful result, deemed it an indispensable duty to meet the exigencies of the occasions by declaring our unity

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with those meetings that had continued stedfast in their adherence, to the ancient order, discipline & faith of the society & our disunity with those who had receded therefrom.

We feel it to be our duty again to advert to this painfull subject, & to state to our Subordinate meetings, that not only within the limits of Yearly meetings of Pennsylvania & New-york (to which reference was made in our minute of last year) but also within those of Baltimore, Ohio & Indiana, separate bodies exist under the name of Yearly meeting of Friends with Quarterly, monthly, & other meetings in connection with them which are not in fellowship with us as a religious community.

In consequence of the embarrassments & mistakes to which Friends are exposed by the separatists thus continuing to take the name & character of Friends, the Yearly meetings of Baltimore, Ohio & Indiana, in acknowledged unity with us, have been induced to forward the names of correspondents appointed by them in their several Quarterly meetings, one or more of whom is to sign (in addition to the usual mode of signing) all removal or other certificates or documents, issued, which are to go beyond the limits of their respective Quarterly meetings. And in order that certificates may duly reach the meetings to which they are directed, it is recommended by them, that they be forwarded to one of those Friends.

Baltimore Yearly meeting has directed that to the names of all the meetings of every description, within the compass of their yearly meeting, the following words be added: "In unity with the ancient yearly meeting of Friends" & have appointed Isaac Brooks, James Gillingham, & Nicholas Popplein, residing in the city of Baltimore, a committee one of whom is to sign in addition to the usual signature of the Clerk all minutes or Certificates issued by monthly or Quarterly meetings for any of their ministers or members

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Correspondents of New-York Yearly Meeting

Correspondents of N. York Y. Meeting.

Westbury Quarterly meeting

		Post office Address
New York monthly meeting.	William F. Mott.	Newyork
Flushing " "	Samuel Parsons.	Flushing. Queens Co. N.Y.
Westbury & Jericho. "	Thomas Willis	Jerico Do Do

Purchase Quarterly meeting

Purchase Monthly meeting.	Richard Mott.	Mamaroneck Westchester Co. N.Y.
Amawalk " "	Stephen Brown,	Peekshill Do. Do.
Chappaqua " "	Elihu Griffen	Mount Pleasant Do. Do.

Nine Partners Quarterly Meeting

Nine Partners. Monthly Meeting.	Isaac Thorne.	Washington Duchess Co. N.Y.
Oblong " "	William Leach	Sherman Fairfield Co. Conn.
Oswego " "	Enoch Dorland	Arthursburg Duchess Co. N.Y.

Easton Quarterly meeting

East Hoosack monthly meeting.	John Upton.	North Adams, Berkshire Co. Mass.
Danby " "	Harris Otis,	Danby. Rutland Co. Ver.

Stanford Quarterly meeting

Creek monthly meeting.	Reuben Howes.	Poughkeepsie. Duchess Co. N.Y.
Stanford "	John F. Hull	Stanfordville Do Do.
Hudson "	Isaac Lyons.	Federal Store. Columbia Do.

Ferrisburgh Quarterly meeting

Ferrisburgh monthly meeting.	John Knowles.	Monkton Addison Co. Vt.
Starksborough "	Amos Battey.	Starksborough Do Do "
Peru "	David Barkness.	Keeseville Essex Do N.Y.

Canada Half Year's Meeting

West Lake monthly meeting.	Gilbert Dorland.	Hallowell Prince Edward Co. Upper Canada
Leeds & Adolphus "	John Ferris.	Kingston Do. Do Do.
Yonge Street "	Thomas Linville.	New Market Do Do Do
Pelham "	Joseph King.	Thorold [illegible] Do Do Do.
Norwich "	Frederick Stover.	Burford Oxford Co. Do

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Farmington Quarterly meeting

Collins Monthly Meeting	John Strang	Lodi Cataragus Co.	N.Y.
Hamburg	"	James Freeman	East Hamburgh Erie Co. N.Y.
Hartland	"	Nathan Comstock	Lockport Niagara Co. Do.
Farmington	"	Isaac Hathaway	New Salem Ontario Co. Do
Rochester	"	Mead Atwater	Rochester Monroe Co. Do

Saratoga Quarterly meeting

Queensbury Monthly meeting		James Mott	Clarkston, Saratoga Co. N.Y.
Milton	" "	James Allen	Greenfield Do. Do. Do.
Galway	" "	Wing Chase	Providence Do. Do. Do.
Le Roy	" "	Daniel Child	Le Roy Jefferson Do Do
Low ville	" "	Ebenezer Hill	Low ville Lewis Do Do
Saratoga	" "	Paul Kirby	Half Moon Saratoga Do. Do

Duanesburgh Quarterly meeting

Coeymans Monthly meeting		Samuel F. Powell	Coxsackie Greene Do. Do.
Rensellaerville	" "	Peter Stover	Rensellaerville Albany Do Do.
Duanesburgh	" "	Jonathan Soule	Duanesburgh Schenectady Do.
Butternuts	" "	Edward Cornell	Butternuts Otsego Do Do
Bridgewater	" "	Obadiah Williams	Bridgewater Oneida Do. Do.

Cornwall Quarterly meeting

Cornwall Monthly meeting		Jabez Greene	Canterbury Do. Do.
Marlborough	" "	Daniel Birdsall	New Burgh Do. Do. Do.
Plains	" "	Josiah Wilson	Hurley Ulster Do. Do

Scipio Quarterly meeting

Deruyter Monthly Meeting		James Derbyshire	Deruyter, Madison Do Do.
Scipio	" "	Humphrey Howland	Aurora Cayuga Do. Do
Hector	" "	William Carman	Trumansburgh Tompkins Do.

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Correspondents of Ohio Yearly Meeting

Redstone Quarter —— George Smith. East Bethlehem Washington Co. Penn
David Cattle Brownsville Fayette Do Do
Joshua Cope Providence Do. .. Do Do.
Short Creek Quarter —— Isaac Parker Mount Pleasant Jefferson Do Ohio
Benjamin W Ladd Smithfield Do Do Do
Joseph Williams Flushing Belmont Do Do
Salem Quarter —— William Heald. Fairfield Columbiana Do Do
John Steel Salem . Do. Do. Do
Samuel Woolman Do .. Do Do. Do.
Demsy Johnson Do .. Do Do. Do
Still Water Quarter —— William Green Pennsville Belmont Do Do
Joseph Edgarton Do. Do. Do Do
Samuel Embree M'Connelsville Morgan Do. Do
Correspondents of Ohio. Y. Meeting. New-Garden Quarter —— John Johnson New Garden Columbiana Do. Do
Levi Miller Hanover Do. Do. Do
David Hole Fairfield Do. Do. Do

Correspondents of Indiana yearly Meeting

Miami Quarter —— Robert Furnace Waynesville, Warren Co. Ohio
John Garretson Springborough Do. Co. Do.
William Benedict Bennington Delaware Do. Do.
John Davis Cincinnati Do.
Correspondents of Indiana Y. Meeting. Henry Pickerel Zanesfield, Logan Do. Do
Elijah Anderson Charleston. Clark Do. Do.
West Branch Quarter —— Samuel Teague
Samuel Jay
Samuel Jones } Union, Miami Co. Do.
Fairfield Quarter —— Richard Barrett Hillsborough, Highland Co. Do
Gershom Perdue Leesburgh. Do. Co Do
James Hadley, Wilmington, Clinton Co. Do
White Water Quarter —— Stephen Macy Richmond Wayne County Indiana
Elijah Coffin Milton Do. Do Do
John Marshall Economy Do. Do. Do.

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Blue River Quarter —	Nathaniel Newlin.	Rockville	Park Co.	Indiana
	Joel Dixon	Mooresville	Morgan Co.	Do
	Henry Wilson	Salem	Washington Do.	Do.
	Richard Haywarth,	New Port	Vermillion Do.	Do
New Garden Quarter —	Francis Thomas,	Newgarden.	Wayne Do.	Do
	Jonathan Johnson	Do.	Do - do	Do.
	Benjamin Cox	Winchester	Randolph Do	Do
Westfield Quarter —	Thomas Talbert	Jacksonburg	Butler Do.	Do
	Joseph Stubbs	Newcome	Preble Do.	Do
	William Talbert,	Liberty.	Union Do.	Do.
Centre Quarter —	Caleb Harvey Joseph Doan Jr David Bailey	Wilmington	Clinton Do.	Do.

The following Minute of the Yearly Meeting of London held in the 5th month 1828 accompanied its Epistle to this meeting

"This Meeting has directed that all certificates of removals, issued by our monthly meetings to friends on the continent of America be forwarded by the meeting which issues them, to their Correspondents
Minute in London, in order to their being by them transmitted to America
from the & this Meeting suggests, to the several Yearly Meetings of Friends in
Y. Meetg. America, the propriety of their directing that certificates on behalf of
in London. Friends removing to within the compass of this Yearly Meeting, be forwarded to the care of the correspondents in or near London, who are appointed by this meeting for the respective Yearly Meetings on the American Continent."

And it is our Conclusion, that all Certificates & other documents issued by our Subordinate meetings & addressed to the meetings of Friends in Great Britain & Ireland be transmitted by the meetings issuing them to one of the correspondents of this Yearly Meeting (who are Moses Brown, William Almy, Abraham Shearman Jr & Stephen Gould) to be forwarded by them to the Correspondents of the Yearly meetings of London & Ireland

from the minutes of the Meeting aforesaid. Abraham Shearman Jr Clk

Ninth Month Continued

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month

Tenth Month 1829

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 8th of 10 mo. 1829

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Enoch Page & Jonathan Dennis, for Lynn Nathaniel [illegible] Charles Chase & Peter Newhall who are present

The queries have been read in this meeting with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Weare the 15th instant & Enoch Page, Henry Chase, Daniel Brown & John Buxton Jr are appointed to attend the same as representatives

J. Bell continued — The Committee to visit John Bell are continued

S. Shove informed. — The Committee to inform Squires Shove report he has been informed

The appointment of a committee to visit friends families is is deferred untill another month

[illegible] Chase 3rd informed. — The committee to inform [illegible] Chase 3rd report he has been informed

B. H. continued — The committee to visit Benjamin Huntington are continued

A. H. Jr. informed. — The Committee to inform Abel Houghton Jr report he had been informed

P. Huntington at liberty in marriage. — [illegible] Huntington & Lavinia B. Reed who declared their intentions of marriage with each other at our last monthly meeting are now at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society &c; & Stephen Oliver & Charles Chase are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

A Complaint from the overseers by way of Salem

Tenth Month Continued

Compl.t against E. Southwick — Preparative meeting against Edward Southwick is rec.d at this time as follows viz — "Edward Southwick a member of our society has for a long time much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & altogether those for discipline & has we believe traduced Society as well as some of our most worthy members by circulating evil reports; he has also identified himself with the separatists amongst us & of the Southern yearly meetings, by acknowledging full unity with some of their leading characters, & receives & circulates papers whose apparent object is to disseminate & support their principles which we believe to be unsound — For which we have visited him" —

"To the monthly meeting" — "Elijah Chase"
"Jonathan Read" } Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Stephen Oliver, John Pratt, Isaac Bassett & Ester Newhall to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting —

W. B. Newhall & A. B. Conner published — Lynn Preparative meeting inform that William B. Newhall & Anna B. Conner purpose laying their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other & William Bassett & Samuel H. Oliver are appointed to inquire into said William's clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting —

Communication respect.g T. Batman — A communication from [illegible] monthly meeting respecting Thomas Bateman is rec.d at this time as follows viz —

"To Salem monthly meeting" —

"Received a communication from your monthly meeting requesting our further care in the case of Thomas Bateman, have appointed a committee to visit him on account thereof & report to next monthly meeting" —

"[illegible] monthly meeting held 9 mo. 15th [illegible]"

Tenth Month Continued

"The committee in the case of Thomas Butman report as follows, Most of the Committee have visited him & did not find him disposed to make friends satisfaction; which is accepted & the clerk is directed to inform Salem mo meeting by extracts from the above"

"Vassalboro' monthly meeting held 8 mo 19th 1829
From the minutes of the above said meeting"
"Robert Winslow Clerk"

T. Butman disowned. And we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his departures; & Vassalboro monthly meeting is requested to inform him thereof.

An extract from the minutes of our yearly meeting is recd at this time as follows viz

"Minute"

"Of the yearly meeting of Friends for New England held on Rhode-Island from the 14th to the 16th inclusive of 6th mo 1829."

Minute of N.E.Y.M. adopted. to be inserted in book of discipline. "The Committee on the State of society proposed the adoption of the following minute which claimed the solid Consideration of this meeting & being united with by this & the womens meeting is directed to be forwarded to all our subordinate meetings & to be inserted in the books of discipline in their possession. From the Minutes of said Meeting"

"Abraham Sherman Jr Clerk"
"(Ruth Rodman Clerk)."

"The importance of steadfastly maintaining our ancient principles respecting the doctrine of the Gospel, coming renewedly under our consideration, we earnestly recommend & enjoin upon quarterly & monthly meetings & upon all individual friends, to be watchful over our members as it respects the profession

Tenth Month Continued —

of their Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, both as to his outward Coming in the Flesh, wherein he tasted Death for every man & was the propitiating sacrifice for our sins, & not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world, suffering the just for the unjust, that we might be brought unto God through him; — and to his Spiritual appearance in the Heart for "unto them that look for him, shall he appear, the second time without sin unto salvation." And if in any instance there should be manifested any deviation from our Christian principles in these respects, that thee continue to labour with such in the Spirit of meekness & wisdom endeavouring to bring them to a sense of their deviation from our acknowledged principles that if possible they may be restored to soundness of faith. And if there should be any who should persist in their errors notwithstanding such labour in Christian love that our testimony be maintained by testifying against them" —

Which meets the unity of this meeting; & Wm C Thacher Estes Newhall & William Bassett are appointed to join with the Clerk & have the extract inserted in a suitable place in our books of Discipline —

This meeting is at this time informed by the overseers
Sum rec.d That the sum to be rec.d as per agreement for expenses incurred
for Meet.g in recovering the meeting House lot in Boston & for our claims
house lot upon said lot has been rec.d by them & amounts together with
in Boston interest thereon to the sum of Thirty seven hundred & fourteen
dollars & fifty cts; & the overseers are authorized & directed to give the Treasurer of the Yearly meeting a receipt for said sum in full of all demands & claims this meeting had to said lot —
And the Clerk is directed to furnish the overseers with a copy of this minute —

The overseers are also directed to settle all demands standing against this meeting now on Interest, & inform what the ballance is remaining in their hands at our next Monthly Meeting

The business being closed at this time we Conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month

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Eleventh Month 1829

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 12th of 11 mo. 1829

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase; for Lynn Gamaliel Oliver & Samuel Neal who are all present

Certificate recd for J. N. Buffum — A certificate of removal on behalf of James N. Buffum is recd at this time from Berwick monthly meeting which is accepted

S. Buffum certificate — A certificate of removal is also received from Berwick monthly meeting on behalf of Samuel Buffum which is accepted

J. Bell continued. — The committee to visit John Bell are continued

Committee to visit families, deferred. — The appointment of a committee to visit friends families is at this time indefinitely defered; that service having been nearly accomplished by a committee appointed by the women in conjunction with our friend Henry Chase who had voluntarily offered his services to friends sattisfaction

B. Huntington continued. — The committee to visit Benjamin Huntington inform they have attended to the subject but having no report to make at this time are continued

The Committee to have the oversight of Jacob Huntington's marriage inform one of them attended & it was conducted orderly

E. S. continued — The committee to visit Edward Southwick are continued

The committee to make the necessary inquiry into Nathan D. Dennis's clearness on account of marriage inform that nothing appears to obstruct his proceeding therein with Anna B.

Eleventh Month Continued

A. B. Vachell mber in the order of our Society; he is therefore left at liberty
at liberty to proceed therein & Charles Chase & Stephen Oliver are appoin-
to marry ted to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly
meeting.

The overseers inform that the demands against this meeting have not as yet been fully settled; they are accordingly requested to report at our next monthly meeting.

The women inform they have concluded to dis-
H. Plummer own the right of membership in our Society of Hannah Plum-
disowned mer (late Buxton) with which this meeting unites.

Lynn Preparative meeting informs that Philip
P. Chase Chase & Abigail W. Boyce purpose laying their intentions of
& A. W. Boyce marriage before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared
published & declared their intention of marriage with each other; Samuel
Boyce & John Osborne are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into said Philip's clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Twelfth Month 1829

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 10th of 12 mo 1829.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborne & Johnson Buffum, for Lynn Wm Breed & John Osborn who are present.

T. Bell. Continued. The committee to visit Thos Bell inform they have paid attention to the subject but having no report to make at this time are continued.

B. Huntington. Continued. The Committee to visit Benjamin Huntingdon are continued.

The committee to visit Edward Southwick presented the following report viz. "The committee appointed to visit Edward Southwick on account of the complaint brought against him report; that he is not disposed to make any concessions for his departure from the order of our society, but inclined to justify himself by censuring the conduct of some of our worthiest members; & there appears no hope of a reconciliation of his feelings. We therefore conclude that any further labour with him will be unavailing"

"To the monthly meeting } "Stephen Oliver" }
"10th of 12 mo 1829." } "Isaac Bassett" } "Committee"

E. Southwick disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the necessary information.

The Committee to have the oversight of Nahum D. Newhall's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly.

The overseers inform that they have paid attention to the settlement of the demands on interest against this meeting

Twelfth Month continued

but are not ready to make a full report at this time.

They are accordingly continued & requested to report the balance of funds remaining in their hands from the sale of meeting house lot at our next monthly meeting.

P. Chase at liberty to marry. The committee to make the necessary inquiry into Philip Chase's clearness on account of marriage inform no obstruction appears to them; he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society & Estes Newhall & Stephen Oliver are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

J. Hawkes compl. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is read at this time against Jonathan Hawkes as follows viz. "Jonathan Hawkes a member of our society has departed from the principles thereof by marrying a woman not in membership with us."

"To the monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn 16th of 12 mo. 1839 } "Daniel Johnson" "James Purinton" } overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Daniel [illegible] & William [illegible] to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

H. Chase concern. Our Esteemed Friend Henry Chase informed this meeting that it had been with him with a degree of weight to join our friend Otis Keene in visiting friends families within the limits of Sandwich monthly meeting; which claiming the consideration of this meeting it united with; he being a minister in unity the clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute.

We appoint Jonathan Nichols, Samuel Neal & Stephen Oliver to audit the treasurer's acc'ts, settle with the overseers of the poor & propose a sum of money sufficient to meet the expenses of this meeting for the year ensuing.

The business being closed at this time we conclude parting to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month

First Month 1830

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 14th of 1 mo, 1830

The representatives from our preparative meetings are in Salem Micajah Chase & Wm E Hacker in Lynn Estes Newhall Nathaniel Harden & Nathan Breed who are present.

Clerks appointed. The time having expired for which the clerks were appointed the representatives propose Samuel Boyce as clerk & William Bassett assistant which being approved they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read in this meeting with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the quarterly meeting to be held at Seabrook the 21st instant & Estes Newhall, Charles Chase, Daniel Osborne & Jonathan Buxton jr are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. Peil contd. The committee to visit John Peil are continued.

B. Huntington. Continued. The committee to visit Benjamin Huntington are continued.

The committee to inform Edward Southwick are continued.

The overseers not being ready to make a full report of the ballance of funds in their hands are accordingly requested to report at our next monthly meeting.

The committee to have the oversight of Philip Chase's marriage inform one of them attended & it was conducted orderly.

J. Hawkes continued. The committee to visit Jonathan Hawkes inform they have attended to their appointment but having no report to make at this time are continued.

The committee to audit the treasurers accts are continued.

Overseers appointed. Salem Preparative meeting nominate Micajah Chase, Solomon Varney, Daniel Osborne, & Jonathan Nichols, & Lynn Preparative meeting nominate James Purinton, Estes Newhall, Daniel Johnson, Isaac Bassett & Charles Chase to the station of overseers

First Month Continued.

Which being approved by this meeting they are accordingly appointed to that station for the ensuing year.

Complaint agst G. Phillips. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is rec^d at this time against George Phillips as follows viz. "George Phillips a member of our society has for a long time past neglected the attendance of our religious meetings & of late wholly left them & we believe attends those of another society; for which he has been treated with but gives no encouragement of conducting more consistent with the good order of our society."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 14th of 1 mo. 1830" } "Isaac Bassett" "Estes Newhall"

Whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase & Jonathan Nichols to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Complaint vs A. E. Mower. A complaint the overseers overseers is also rec^d by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against Amos E Mower as follows viz. "Amos E Mower a minor & member of our society, but we believe for want of a guarded education wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another society & of late has joined the Militia in their trainings, for which he has been spoken with."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Salem 1 mo. 14th 1830" } "Daniel Johnson" "James Purinton" } overseers

Whereupon we appoint W^m E Hacker & Abner Chase to visit & treat with him on a/c thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Complaint vs G. Flint. Also a complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against Grace Flint as follows viz. "Grace Flint a member of our society but we believe in inattention to the dictates of truth left the attendance

First Month Continued.

of our religious meetings & indulged some time in the intemperate use of ardent spirits, & of late hath married out of the order of our society with a woman not in profession with us.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 14th of 1 mo 1830. } Samuel [illegible] / Estes Newhall

Wherefore we appoint Nathaniel Holder & Theophilus Rice to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Second Month 1830

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 2 mo. 1830.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols & [illegible] for Lynn Samuel S. Johnson & [illegible] who are present.

J. Bell and B. E. cont'd — The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued. The committee to visit Benjamin [illegible] are continued. The committee to inform Edward Southwick of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he had been informed.

Edward Southwick informed.

The overseers not being ready to make a full report of the ballance of funds their hands from the sale of the meeting-house lot are requested to report at our next monthly meeting.

J. Hawkes continued. — The committee to visit Jonathan Hawkes in Lynn they have paid attention to the subject but not being ready to report at this time are continued.

The Committee to audit the Treasurer's a/cs & settle with the overseers of the poor are continued.

The committee to visit George Phillips presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited George Phillips on account of the complaint presented by the overseers the truth of which he fully admitted.

He manifested respect for society, but his parents having identified themselves with those who have separated from us & now attending a meeting of another society he also attends with them, & informed us he thought he should continue so to do.

Under these circumstances we are of opinion that any further labour from us will be unavailing."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th Instant."

"Abijah Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols" } "Committee"

G. Phillips disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore in concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society until he shall return & make such satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

A. E. M. Cont.d The committee to visit Amos E. Mower are continued.

G. Oliver continued. The committee to visit George Oliver inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued.

Extract from the minute of the Qr. meeting. An Extract from the minutes of our Quarterly meeting is rec.d at this time as follows viz.

"At Salem Quarterly meeting of Friends held at Lynn the 20th of 8 mo. 1829.

"It appearing from the minutes of our last Yearly meeting that this meeting's proportion of Yearly meeting stock is one hundred Dollars — According to the usual apportionment

Second Month continued

Salem monthly meeting's proportion is Forty Dollars.
From the minutes of said meeting.

Wm Bassett assistant clk

And the treasurer of this meeting is directed to pay our proportion to the Quarterly Meeting's Treasurer.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Third Month 1830

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 3mo. 1830.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem, Daniel Osborne & Solomon Varney; for Lynn James Purinton & Daniel Breed who are present.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on a/c of his request are continued.

B. Huntington continued. The Committee to visit Benjamin Huntington inform they have attended to their appointment but not being fully prepared to report at this time are continued.

J. H. continued. The committee to visit Jonathan Hawkes are continued.

Committee to audit Treasr. accts. report. The committee to audit the Treasurer's a/cs & settle with the overseers of the poor presented the following report viz.

"Pursuant to our appointment we have audited the Treasurer's accounts & settled with the overseers of the Poor. We find that each preparative meeting had paid its proportion as directed by the monthly meeting; And find there is a balance due the

Third Month Continued

Treasurer of $20^{ds},22^{cts}$ — We consider it expedient to appropriate the interest accruing from the money rec^d for the Boston meeting House lot, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the monthly meeting the ensuing year; & think it necessary in addition to that to raise the sum of 400 Dolls

To Salem monthly meeting
3mo. 11th 1830 —

Samuel Neal on behalf of the Committee

Which is accepted & the preparative meetings are requested to pay their respective proportions to the Treasurer of this meeting.

Also the overseers are directed to apply the interest of the Boston meeting House fund towards defraying the expenses of this meeting the ensuing year

G. Phillips informed — The committee to inform George Phillips of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

The committee to visit Amos E Mower presented the following report viz — "Pursuant to appointment we have had an interview with Amos E Mower; he appeared to be willing to admit the complaint exhibited against him to be nearly just.

Still he gave us no reason to believe he was disposed to change his conduct & pursuits in which he was complained of. we are led to believe that any further labour from us will be unavailing; Which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th of 3d mo. 1830"

Abm Chase
Wm E Hacker

A. E. Mower disowned — Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information

G. Swain cont^d — The committee to visit George Swain are continued

A certificate from Weare monthly meeting is rec^d at this

Third Month Continued

J. Gove & wife Certificate.

time on behalf of John Gove & wife which is accepted.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Wm Chase as follows viz. William Chase a member of our society has we believe through inattention to that principle that is our only preserver left the due attendance of our religious meetings & has married out of the order of society with a woman not in profession with us, for which he has been treated with.

Compl.t ag.st Wm. Chase.

To the Monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 3 mo. 11th 1830 } Daniel Johnson
Estes Newhall

Whereupon we appoint Samuel Neal Nath.l Walden & Henry Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

A communication from Newyork monthly meeting respecting Paul Bunker is rec.d at this time as follows viz.

Communication respecting Paul Bunker

"At the monthly meeting of Newyork 3d of 2d mo. 1830, Information was rec.d from our Preparative meeting that Paul Bunker has married a person not in membership with Friends & that he now resides in Boston.

The clerk was directed to forward a copy of this minute to the monthly meeting of Friends of Salem Massachusetts, & request their care in the case.

Extracted from the minutes & signed by direction aforesaid."

"To the monthly meeting of Salem Massachusetts." } "Wm. Birdsall Clerk"

"Wm. F. Mott, Correspondent."

whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase, Estes Newhall & Charles Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

A copy of a minute from Saybrook monthly meeting

Stephen Greene's is rec^d at this time on behalf of Stephen Greene a minor
copy of a minute which is accepted

W.E. Hacker's Wm E. Hacker requests a certificate of removal for his
son [illegible] a minor to Philadelphia monthly meeting for the
requests Southern district; whereupon we appoint Elijah Chase,
a certificate & Jonathan Nichols to prepare one & present to our next monthly
meeting for approbation

The overseers at this time made a statement respecting the balance of funds from the sale of the Boston meeting House lot as follows viz

Amount deposited in Lynn Mechanics Bank with interest up to 2 mo. 27th 1838 - - - - $2852,30 cts

Drawn out & loaned at 6 pr cts - - - 140000

leaving a Balance in Lynn Mechanics Bank drawing Interest at 5 pr ct $1452,90

A Communication from Salem Preparative meeting is rec^d at this time as follows viz

"To Salem Preparative meeting"

Communication We with Nathan A Chase being the committee appointed to
respecting receive & manage the legacy left this meeting some time since
Alice Needham's by our late Friend Alice Needham in her last will in the
Legacy following words viz, "All the rest & residue of my estate not otherwise disposed of I give & bequeath to the meeting or society of Friends at Salem, known by the appellation of Salem Preparative meeting, in which the Friends of Danvers are included, it being a branch of Salem Monthly meeting, & this I give hoping it may meet the aid of other donations, to be held as a fund the interest of which is to be applied to the use of a School for the children of Friends within that district, & my will is that no part of it be applied to any other purposes than that of education as above directed" have attended to the appointment & rec^d the same, & we hereto annex the amount & situation of the same as it is at this time viz

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a Note dated the 1st of 1 mo. 1830 on Interest at 6%	1000,00
a Bond for 250 Dolls & a note for 350 secured in mortgage on which there is Interest due since the 22d of 9th mo 1828 — — — —	600,00
& cash now on hand — — —	181,22
	1781,22
and we have paid out of the legacy for the use of the First day School for Books" —	10,00

"Wm E Hacker" }
"Jonathan Nichols" } "Trustees"

"Which report is accepted by this meeting & the clerk is directed to forward it to the monthly meeting to be put on the records of that meeting."

legacy to be applied — Which meets the approbation of this meeting & we request Salem Preparative meeting to continue their care in relation to this subject & see that the legacy is applied agreeable to the intention of the donor.

The business being gone through at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

Fourth Month Continued

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 8th of 4 mo. 1830

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase & Daniel Buxton, for Lynn James Purinton, Charles Chase & William Bassett who are present.

J. Bell continued. — The Committee to visit John Bell on acc of his request inform they have paid attention to the subject but not ready to make a full report at this time are continued.

The committee to visit Benjamin Huntington presented the following report viz "We have pursuant to appointment visited Benjamin Huntington several times on the complaint exhibited against him; although he received our visits cordially & expressed a desire to be retained in membership still we have not discovered a conviction in him of the necessity of living conformable to our principles & discipline; for these reasons we have not believed any benefit will result to him or Society by his being retained in membership with us.

Which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 8th of 4 mo. 1830.

"Abner Chase"
"Isaac Bassett"

B. Huntington disowned. Which of the deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do, & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The committee to visit Benjamin Hawkes presented the following report viz. Agreeable to appointment we have several times visited Benjamin Hawkes on account of the complaint presented against him. he appears to be sensible of his deviation from the good order of our Society in marrying a woman not in profession with us; yet he manifests strong desires that friends would restore him to the privileges of Society, & we should consider it safe to grant his request. All which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 4th of 8 mo. 1830.

Charles Chase
Wm Breed } Committee

also an acknowledgment from him both; which are accepted; & he is therefore with the concurrence of the women restored to the privileges of our Society; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The committee to inform Amos C. Stowe of the conclusion of

Fourth Month Continued.

this meeting in this case are continued.

G. Oliver continued. The committee to visit George Oliver inform they have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report at this time are continued.

Wm C. continued. The committee to visit Wm Chase are continued.

The committee to visit Paul Bunker produce the following report – Viz – "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Paul Bunker on account of the information received from [illegible] – he stated to us that he had been waited on by a committee from the Society to which he held himself amenable & that they had continued him a member of their meeting – therefore should decline treating with any other body on the subject.

Uriah Chase
Charles Chase } Committee

P. Bunker report accepted. which is accepted & the clerk is directed to forward the same to Newyork monthly meeting with an extract of this minute.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Philadelphia monthly meeting for Isaac Hacker, a minor,

I. Hacker certificate. presented one which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting is rec'd at this time against Daniel Bunzack as

Complaint vs D. Bunzack. follows viz. "Daniel Bunzack a member of our society hath for a long time entirely left the attendance of our religious meetings; his deportment is not in conformity with our discipline either in dress or address, he hath also borne arms at the militia trainings for which he hath been labored with."

"To the monthly meeting"

"Uriah Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols } Overseers"

Wherefore we appoint Nathaniel Wilson & Jonathan Nichols to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next

Fourth Month Continued.

monthly meeting

complaint against W. H. Estes

Also a complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against William H. Estes as follows viz.—

"William H. Estes a member of our society has we believe for the want of parental care & a guarded education wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings, & has joined the militia in their trainings in which he has been spoken with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 4 mo. 8th 1830." } "Charles Chase" "Daniel Johnson" "overseers".

Therefore we appoint James Purinton & Abner Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Fifth Month 1830.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 5 mo. 1830.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem, Daniel Buxton Abijah Chase & Jonathan Buxton Jr; For Lynn Daniel Johnson, Wm Bassett & Micajah C Pratt who are present.

The Queries were read in this meeting with answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 27th instant & Charles Chase, Estes Newhall, Wm E Hacker, Abijah Chase, & Gamaliel W. Oliver were appointed to attend the same as representatives.

[illegible] M. G & wife

A certificate of removal from Weare monthly meeting was recd at this time on behalf of Moses Gove Jr & wife which

Fifth Month Continued

which is accepted

Certificate for N. G. Chase & wife.

Also a certificate of removal from Weare monthly meeting was at this time rec^d on behalf of Nathan G. Chase Jr & wife which is accepted

J. Bell continued.

The committee to visit John Bell on a/c of his request are continued

B. Huntington informed.

The committee to inform Benjamin Huntingdon of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

J. Hawkes informed

The committee to inform Jonathan Hawkes of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

A. E. Mower informed

Also the committee to inform Amos E Mower of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

The committee to visit George Oliver presented the following report viz "Pursuant to appointment we have visited George Oliver several times on account of the complaint exhibited against him, but do not find him in a proper state of mind to make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings, & we believe that any further labour will be of no use; "all which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lyme 5 mo. 13th 1830"

"Theophilis Bree"
"Nathaniel Walden" } "Committee

G. Oliver disowned.

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society, untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof

W. Chase continued.

The committee to visit William Chase inform they have attended to their appointment, but having no report to make at this time are continued

Fifth Month Continued

D. Dunzack continued The committee to visit Daniel Dunzack inform they have attended to their appointment but having no report to make are continued

W. H. Estes continued. The committee to visit William H. Estes are continued

A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative
Complaint meeting was recd at this time against Ebenezer Hood as follows
against viz. "Ebenezer Hood through inattention to the principle of truth
E. Hood. has we believe for a long time indulged in the frequent & at times intemperate use of spirituous liquors; he has also left the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another society, for which he has been treated with"

To the monthly meeting to be } James Purinton }
held at Lynn 13th of 5 mo. 1830 } Charles Chase } overseers

whereupon we appoint Micajah C. Pratt & James Breed 2d to visit & treat with him on a/c thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

Information is recd from Lynn Preparative meeting that
J. P. Boyce James P. Boyce & Eliza Ann Purinton purpose laying their intentions
published of marriage before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other; & William Bassett & Jonathan Connor are appointed to inquire into said James' clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting

M. A. Silsbee. The women inform that they have concluded to disown the
disowned. right of membership in our Society of Mary Ann Silsbee with which this meeting unites

M. Houghton Also that they have concluded to disown the right of mem-
disowned bership in our Society of Mary Houghton with which this meeting unites

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn on fourth day before the Second Fifth Day in next month

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Sixth Month 1830.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 6mo. 1830.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Enoch Page & Daniel Osborne; for Lynn [illegible] Chase & Jonathan Boyce all present.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

G. Oliver informed. The committee to inform George Oliver of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

J. Warren present. Our esteemed friend [illegible] Warren attended this meeting with a copy of a minute from China Monthly meeting held at Albion 15th of 5mo. 1830; his company & gospel labours have been to our satisfaction & encouragement.

W. Chase continued. The Committee to visit William Chase are continued.

The committee to visit Daniel Dunyack presented the following report, viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have visited Daniel Dunyack; he admits the complaint against him to be correct & expressed a wish to remain a member of our Society, but we find him in no disposition to conform to its discipline, or make friends satisfaction for his deviations, & think further labour with him would be unavailing.

To the Monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn the 9th instant } Jonathan Nichols / Nathaniel Walden } committee

D. Dunyack disowned. which after due deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society until he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform thereof.

Sixth Month Continued.

The Committee to visit Wm H Estes presented the following report viz. Agreeably to our appointment we have endeavoured to treat with Wm H Estes on the subject of the complaint. Although he did not admit of a proper interview; yet from a few moments conversation with one of the committee he appeared to justify his past conduct, and also declined any further opportunity with us. Therefore we think it will be best for the monthly meeting to deny him the right of membership in our society for his transgressions as reported by the overseers.

Which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 9th Instant.

Abner Chase
James Purinton } Committee

Which after deliberation is accepted & we do therein with
W. H. E. the concurrence of the women deny him the right of member-
disowned ship in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

L. Batchelder The women inform they have concluded to disown
disowned the right of membership in our society of Lydia Batchelder (late Sprague) with which this meeting unites.

The committee to inquire into James C. Boyce's clear-
J. C. Boyce ness on account of marriage report they find nothing to ob-
not obstructed struct; he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same
to marry according to the order of our society; & Stephen Oliver & Daniel Johnson are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

J. G. Dow A certificate of removal from Weare monthly meeting
certificate is rec.d at this time on behalf of James G (Dow a minor)
accepted which is accepted.

C. Hoxie The committee to visit Chauncey Hoxie inform they have
continued paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued.

Sixth Month Continued.

A Communication from our Quarterly meeting is rec^d at this time as follows viz. "At Salem Quarterly meeting of Friends, held at Salem 27th of 5 mo. 1830."

Communication from Meet^g for Sufferings received.

"A communication from the meeting for Sufferings held at Providence in the 2d mo. last was rec^d at this time as follows viz. 'At a meeting for Sufferings held at Providence by adjournment the 16th of 2d mo. 1830.'

'A concern being revived in this meeting that all the families of Friends may be in possession of the Holy Scriptures, it is recommended to our quarterly & monthly meetings to make the necessary inquiry throughout their respective meetings whether any deficiencies exist in this respect & report to this meeting the result of such inquiries, that steps may be taken to supply such families as are deficient, if any such may be found.'

'The Clerk is directed to furnish each of our Quarterly meetings with a Copy of this minute.'

'Extracted from the records of the meeting aforesaid'

'Thomas Howland Clerk'

"and the Clerk is directed to furnish each of our monthly meetings with a copy of this minute who are desired to make returns to our next Quarterly meeting."

"From the minutes of the meeting aforesaid."

"Daniel Johnson Clk"

Wherefore we appoint Elijah Chase, Daniel Brown, Jonathan Nichols, Samuel P. Johnson, Estes Newhall, Gamaliel W. Oliver, William Breed, Benaiah Purinton, & Abner Chase to make the necessary inquiry & ascertain what deficiencies exist among us in this respect & report to our next monthly meeting.

Sixth Month Continued

A Communication from Newyork is rec^d at this time as follows Viz —

At the monthly meeting of Newyork held 7th of 4 mo. 1830 —

Complaint agst. H. W. Barnes

The Preparative meeting of Newyork informed that Henry W. Barnes has married a person not a member of the society of Friends & that he now resides in Boston; The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of this minute to the monthly meeting of Salem Massachusetts, & request its care in this case.

To the monthly meeting of Salem Massachusetts }
Extracted from the minutes
Wm Birdsall
Clerk

Wm. F. Mott Correspondent —

whereupon we appoint Stephen Hine & Isaac Barrett to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended —

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at the usual time at Salem, next month —

Seventh Month 1830

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 5th of 7 mo. 1830.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Ezra Chase, & John Buxton Jr; For Lynn Samuel Neal & Nathan Breed who are present.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued.

The committee to visit William Chase presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have several times visited William Chase on account of the complaint against him; Although he manifested tender feelings & regard for our society, yet he seems not in a disposition of mind to make such an acknowledgement as friends could consistently receive for his outgoings & we therefore see no use in waiting longer on him; all which we submit to the monthly meeting of Friends to be held at Salem 5th of 7 mo. 1830."

"Henry Chase"
"Samuel Neal"
"Nathaniel Walden"

Wm. Chase disowned. which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The committee to inform Daniel Dunyack of the conclusion of this meeting in this case are continued.

The committee to inform William H Estes of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

The committee to visit Ebenezer Hood presented the following report viz.

"Agreeably to appointment we have visited Ebenezer Hood on account of the complaint exhibited against

Seventh Month Continued

him; he acknowledged the statement therein made to be correct, but informed us that he had for some months past discontinued the use of ardent spirits except for medicine.

He however manifests no desire to be retained in membership with us, & we are therefore of opinion, that any further labour with him will be of no avail."

"To the Monthly meeting to be held at Salem 7 mo. 8. 1830" } Micajah C. Pratt
"James Breed Jr" } Committee

which after deliberation is accepted & we do therefore

E. Hood with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of mem-
disowned. bership in our Society, untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him hereof.

H. W. Barnes continued. The committee to visit Henry W. Barnes at the request of Newyork mo. meeting are continued.

The Committee to have the oversight of James P. Boyce's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly.

The committee to ascertain whether all the families of friends are in possession of the Holy Scriptures are continued.

E. Beede. A Copy of a minute from Sandwich monthly meeting (N.H.)
Copy of a minute. on behalf of Eli Beede is recd. at this time which is accepted.

The women inform they have concluded to disown the
A. Hood right of membership in our Society of Abigail Hood with which
disowned. this meeting unites.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eighth Month 1830.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 12th of 8 mo. 1830.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase & Jonathan Buxton Jr; For Lynn James Purinton, Wm Bassett & Daniel Breed who are present.

The queries were read with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Lynn the 19th Instant & Abner Chase, Nathaniel Walden, Nathan Breed & James Purinton are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. Piesly & family certificate accepted. A certificate of removal from Weare monthly meeting is recd at this time on behalf of James Piesley & family; which is accepted.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on acc of his request are continued.

Wm. Chase informed. The committee to inform Wm Chase of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

D. Dunzack informed. The committee to inform Daniel Dunzack of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

W. H. Estes informed. Also the Committee to inform Wm H Estes of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The Committee to inform Ebenezer Hood of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

H. W. Barnes continued. The committee to visit Henry W. Barnes at the request of Newyork monthly meeting are continued.

The committee to ascertain whether all the families of friends are furnished with the Holy Scriptures inform they have attended to it but not being ready to make a full report at this time are continued.

A communication from Newyork monthly meeting

Eighth Month Continued

respecting Paul Bunker is received at this time as follows viz "Paul Bunker having married a person not in membership with Friends, for which he has been laboured with by a committee on behalf of this meeting, & he not manifesting a disposition of mind to make Friends satisfaction for his deviation; We disown him from being a member of our religious society."

P. Bunker disowned

"From the monthly meeting of Friends of Newyork held 7mo. 7th. 1830."

"At the monthly meeting of Newyork held 7th of 7mo. 1830."

"The minute of disownment in the case of Paul Bunker (of which the above is a copy) was directed to be forwarded to the monthly meeting of Salem Mass. with a request that it be shown him & that he be acquainted of his right to appeal."

"By direction of the meeting"
"To the monthly meeting of Salem." Wm Birdsall Clerk"
"Wm F Mott Correspondent."

"Whereupon we appoint Isaac Bassett to take said communication & show him & acquaint him of his right to appeal as requested by that meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month.

Ninth Month 1830

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 9 mo. 1830.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborne & Daniel Buxton; for Lynn Wm Breed & Nathan Breed who are present.

J. Bell. continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

E. Hood informed. The committee to inform Ebenezer Hood of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

W. Barnes, Continued The Committee to visit Henry W Barnes at the request of Newyork monthly meeting are continued.

The committee to ascertain whether all the families of friends are furnished with the Holy Scriptures are continued.

The friend appointed to show Paul Bucker the communication from Newyork monthly meeting respecting him not having had an opportunity to accomplish the same is continued.

Extracts from the minutes of our Yearly meeting are recd at this time as follows viz.

See printed copy

And the Clerks are directed to see that the advice therein contained concerning marriage be inserted in a proper place in our books of discipline.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held on Rhode Island,

from the 13th to the 18th, inclusive, of the sixth month, 1830.

The following Report of the Boarding School Committee was received and read, and being satisfactory to this Meeting, copies thereof were directed to be forwarded to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings.

TO THE YEARLY MEETING.

The Boarding School Committee report, That they have during the past year, endeavoured to promote the objects confided to their care by the Yearly Meeting, in the superintendence of the Institution; and are thankful in being able to state, that its various concerns have been conducted in a good degree in accordance with the design of Friends in its establishment. Meetings for worship have been regularly kept up; and the family preserved in harmony.

The School is continued under the immediate charge of Enoch and Lydia Breed, as Superintendents, in which they have the assistance of Stephen and Hannah Gould.—Benjamin B. Hussey, Moses Mitchell, Joseph Hoag, Deborah Ramsdell, Lydia B. Allen, and Sarah Fry, have been employed as Teachers, during most of the past year, with the exception of Benjamin B. Hussey, whose state of health was such in the autumn, as to render it necesary for him to retire from the School. During his absence Joseph Healey was employed as an associate Teacher. Benjamin B. Hussey is again about to resume the discharge of his former duties; and Moses A. Cartland has been recently engaged as an Assistant in the Boys' department, and Phebe Burgess in the Girls'.

The average number of scholars, during the year, has been one hundred and twenty-seven.

The accounts of the Treasurer of the School Fund, and of the Superintendent, have been received, and audited, and the state of the Fund continues to be such, as to induce the Committee to propose that Children who are members of this Yearly Meeting, continue to be admitted at twelve and a half dollars per quarter, and that the privilege of sending Children, free of expense, be continued, as last year.

The Committee being clearly of the opinion, that Children would receive much greater benefit by being sent to the School for a term of time not less than six months, Friends and Monthly Meetings are therefore advised not to send them for a shorter space of time, when it can be conveniently avoided.

Friends are also advised not to send Boys over the age of fourteen years to the School, until they have first obtained the approbation of the School Committee, which meets at Providence the third day after the last fifth day in each month.

On behalf of the Committee,

MOSES BROWN.
MARY B. ALLEN.

Providence, 5 mo. 7, 1830.

At the Yearly Meeting aforesaid,

An Essay, entitled "The Testimony of the Society of Friends on the American Continent," prepared by the General Committee, composed of Committees from all the Yearly Meetings in America, (which convened in Philadelphia, in the 7th month last,) was read before our Meeting of Men and Women Friends, collectively assembled, and being deliberately considered, was cordially, unitedly, and fully approved, as embracing a concise declaration of the doctrines and testimonies which have always been held by our Society. This Document having now been approved by all the Yearly Meetings of Friends in this country, the Clerk was directed to add to this minute, in the extracts to be sent down, that the necessary arrangements have been made for printing it, and that the several Quarterly Meetings will be supplied, by the Meeting for Sufferings, with a sufficient number of copies to furnish one to each family of Friends within their respective limits.

The subject of marrying in the kindred by Affinity, having been brought under the view of this Meeting, received its solid and deliberate consideration; and it is concluded that the construction of our Yearly Meeting, as particularly defined in the year 1773, [namely, That our members be not allowed to marry a deceased wife's sister, or a deceased husband's brother,] shall hereafter be considered as the construction to be given to our present Discipline.

The Clerk is directed to forward copies of this Minute to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings, to be inserted in the Books of Discipline in their possession.

Copied, by direction, from the Minutes of said Meeting, by

Abm. Shearman, Jr. Clerk.

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held in the sixth mo. 1830.

During the consideration of the state of the Society, as presented by the Answers to the Queries, much pertinent and feeling counsel and advice was freely offered. We were impressively reminded, that love to God is the foundation of love to the brethren, and that where this love pervades the mind, there will be no neglect of the important duty of assembling ourselves together for the purpose of worshipping Him, from whom are all our blessings, and who calls for this, as a reasonable service at our hands; and that dwelling in this love, we should be favoured to witness preservation from that estrangement of feeling towards our brethren, which once finding a place in the human mind, and being there cherished, has led, step by step, to the most awful and desolating consequences. We were at the same time, emphatically reminded of the more subtle transformations of the enemy of all good, in his appearances as an angel of light, and faithfully admonished of impending danger to those who should listen to his artful insinuations; from which increased watchfulness, humility, and dedication, could alone preserve us.—The subject of plainness of apparel and deportment was feelingly adverted to, as not only consistent with our profession, and right in itself, but as a means of preservation from unprofitable associations, leading the mind from the simplicity of the Truth into the spirit and maxims of the world, and the contaminating influences of fashionable life. It was adverted to, as manifesting in the Youth, not only an evidence of the care, on the one hand, of a Parent, concerned to promote the best interests of his beloved Children, and on the other, of youthful obedience and regard to the feelings of such a parent; but, as manifesting, in many instances, the operation of Divine grace on the heart, leading to its adoption from principle. Parents were fervently entreated not to relax in the exercise of a watchful care, in this and other respects, but to seek for that qualification which will increasingly enable them to take the children by the hand, and in the impressive language of example as well as precept, call upon them, to follow them as they are endeavouring to follow Christ; that thus they may grow up as tender plants; and that instead of the fathers, there may be the sons, rightly qualified to take their places, in a faithful discharge of the important duties that must ere long devolve upon them.—The advantages of an early and of a continued acquaintance with the Holy Scriptures, by a frequent and attentive perusal of them, was feelingly dwelt upon.——We were also forcibly reminded of the importance of a faithful maintenance of our testimony in regard to the use of spirituous liquors, particularly at a time when the public mind is becoming so fully convinced on this subject—and of bearing a faithful testimony to our belief in the peaceable nature of the Redeemer's kingdom, and against the spirit of war. On the latter subject, a feeling appeal was made to our members in the younger walks of life, to evince their gratitude for the favours which are extended to them in an exemption from the burthen of military services, by great circumspection in giving no just occasion to any, to call in question the sincerity of their profession, by being present as spectators at military parades, or otherwise; but that in all their conduct, they may shew to others, that they are indeed "conscientiously scrupulous of bearing arms," and thus become qualified to advance the cause of Peace and Truth in the earth.—Which being in unison with the concern of this Meeting, the Clerk was directed to forward transcripts of this Minute to our several Quarterly Meetings.

We are informed by New-York Yearly Meeting, that the following Friends are appointed Correspondents, for the purpose of authenticating Certificates, in the place of Friends deceased, viz:

James Birdsall, of Marlborough Mo. Meeting, Cornwall Quarterly Meeting—address, *Newburgh, Orange Co. N. Y.*
David Aldrich, of East Hoosack Mo. Meeting, Easton Quarterly Meeting—address, *South Adams, Berkshire Co. Mass.*
James Robson, of Hartland Mo. Meeting, Farmington Quarterly Meeting—address, *Johnson's Creek, Niagara Co. N.Y.*

———— By Baltimore Yearly Meeting,—that it has appointed,
For Gunpowder Mo. Meeting, Jesse Scott, John Scott;
Deer Creek Mo. Meeting, Samuel Worthington, Elisha Cook;
Nottingham and Little Britain Mo. Meeting, Thomas Waring, Joseph Balance, jun.
as Correspondents, in addition to those appointed last year; one of whom is to sign, in addition to the usual signatures of the Clerks, all minutes and certificates issued by their Monthly or Quarterly Meetings for members or ministers of our religious society.

Our Quarterly Meetings are requested, in future, to acknowledge in their accounts to the Yearly Meeting, the receipt, and disposition made, of minutes and papers transmitted to them by its direction.

It was concluded to raise eight hundred dollars for the service of the ensuing year, and the several Quarterly Meetings were requested to forward their respective proportions of that sum to our Treasurer.

Copied, by direction, from the Minutes of the Meeting aforesaid, by

Abrm Shearman, Jr. Clerk.

Salem Monthly Meeting

Tenth Month 1830.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 14th of 10mo. 1830.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase, & Stephen Nichols; for Lynn Daniel Johnson, James Purinton & Estes Newhall who are present.

The Queries have been read with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Weare the 21st. Instant & Estes Newhall Nathan Breed, Abijah Chase, Jonathan Buxton Jr & Enoch Page are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. Be. continued

The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

The committee to visit Henry W Barnes at the request of Newyork monthly meeting are continued & Abijah Chase & Estes Newhall are added to them.

The Committee to ascertain whether all the families of friends are furnished with the Holy Scriptures presented the following report. viz — "The committee who were appointed to ascertain what number of families in this monthly meeting are destitute of the Holy Scriptures on inquiry find Twelve families who are not furnished with Bibles of such a size as would be desirable they should be in possession of, & who are desirous of receiving such a copy but their limited means are such we believe if they have them they must be furnished gratuitously.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 14th of 10mo. 1830 } Abner Chase in behalf of the Committee.

which is accepted & this meeting concludes to take Twelve copies now on its own account the disposition of which is left with the overseers.

We are informed that the friend appointed to show Paul Bunker the communication from Newyork monthly meeting concerning him has accomplished the same agreeably to

Tenth Month Continued

the request of that meeting.

Information is at this time rec.d from our meeting of ministers & Elders, held on the 13th. Instant that they are

J. Mansfield ministry approved. united in approving the public appearances in the ministry of Jane Mansfield; which meets the unity & approbation of this meeting; the women concurring therein: & the Clerk is directed to give the necessary information.

M. Purinton disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Mary Purinton with which this meeting unites.

B. Estes disowned. Also that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Betsey Estes with which this meeting unites.

A Complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Wm. F. Nichols as follows viz.

Complaint agst. Wm. F. Nichols. "William F. Nichols a member of our Society has married a person not in profession with us, & mostly left the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another society; he also has attended the meetings of the freemasons for a long time; for all which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting" "Alijah Chase" } overseers
"Daniel Osborne" }

whereupon we appoint Daniel Buxton Abner Chase & Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

[illegible] Information is received from Salem Preparative meeting that Robert Earle of Worcester & Anna M. Brown of Salem purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; but owing to the bodily indisposition of one of the Friends the subject is deferred untill another month.

Tenth Month Continued

Complaint against J. Osgood.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is recd. at this time against Jonathan Osgood as follows viz. "Jonathan Osgood a member of our society has we believe through inattention to the dictates of truth in his own mind, wholly neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & has so far departed from our peaceable principles as to pay a military fine; for which he has been spoken to.

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 11th of 11mo. 1830" } "Daniel Johnson" "James Purinton" "overseers"

whereupon we appoint Charles Chase & Nathaniel Walden to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eleventh Month 1830.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11 ~~of~~ 11 mo, 1830.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Solomon Varney & Enoch Page; for Lynn Gamaliel W. Oliver & Samuel Neal who are present.

J. Bell, continued.

The committee to visit John Bell on acc of his request are continued.

A report from a part of the committee to visit Henry W. Barnes at the request of New york monthly meeting is recd. at this time as follows viz.

"Agreeable to appointment we have visited Henry W. Barnes and may inform that he is situated with his family

Eleventh Month Continued

Report; H. C. Barnes. and doing business at Lowell; we showed him the complaint received from Newyork, which he admitted to be correct; he expressed much regard for society & had a wish that he could consistently remain a member thereof, but said he had nothing to offer to friends for his departure.

To the monthly meeting
Abijah Chase
Estes Newhall } Committee

Which is accepted & the Clerk is directed to forward the same to that meeting with an extract of this minute.

The committee to visit Wm F Nichols presented the following report viz "Pursuant to appointment we have had an interview with Wm F Nichols in relation to the complaint produced against him; although he appeared to receive our visit in a friendly manner & expressed a regard he had always entertained for our Society & was not disposed to say the complaint was not just — still we did not discover in him a disposition to make friends sattisfaction; he expressed a wish not to be further waited on: for these reasons we believe any further labour from us will be altogether unavailing — all of which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th of 11 mo. 1830.

Abner Chase
Daniel Johnson"

W. F. Nichols disowned. Which is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings, which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The committee to visit Jonathan Osgood presented the following report viz "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Jonathan Osgood upon the complaint brought against him; he appeared very pleasant but did not manifest any desire to remain a member of our society any longer;

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so we think that any further labour will be of no use; all which we submit to the monthly meeting to be holden at Lynn 11th of 11 mo. 1830

Nathaniel Walden }
Charles Chase } Committee

J. Osgood. disowned. which is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

R. Earle & A. M. Brown published. Robert Earle of Worcester & Anna Maria Brown of Salem have at this time appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other & are referred to our next monthly meeting for an answer.

H. D. Hinkes. disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Hannah D Hinkes with which this meeting unites.

A Complaint from the overseers by way of Salem preparative meeting is rec.d at this time as follows viz.

Complaint against P. R. Southwick "Philip R Southwick a member of our society has for a long time wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another society; for which he has been treated with.

Abijah Chase }
To the monthly meeting Daniel Osborne } overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Abner Chase & Isaac Bassett to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

A certificate of removal is requested for Philip Brown Chase to Philadelphia monthly meeting for the Southern district. Whereupon we appoint Jonathan Nichols & Abijah Chase to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one & present to our next monthly meeting for approbation.

Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Charles Chase

Eleventh Month Continued.

C. Chase requ[illegible] a certificate requests a certificate to Sandwich monthly meeting to accomplish marriage with Eliza Swift; whereupon we appoint William Bassett, & Daniel Johnson to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears, prepare one & present to our next monthly meeting.

Epistle read. The London printed Epistle for the present year is at this time recd. & our respective preparative meetings are requested to have one read at the close of a First Day meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude; purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Twelfth Month

At Salem monthly meeting of friends held at Lynn 9th of 12 mo. 1830.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Ichabod Nichols & Solomon Varney, for Lynn Samuel Neal & William Breed who are present.

J. Bell. continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request inform they have paid attention to it but having no report to make at this time are continued.

F. Nichols informed. The committee to inform Wm F. Nichols of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

J. Osgood. informed. Also the committee to inform Jonathan Osgood of the Conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Robert Earle of Worcester & Anna Maria Brown of Salem

Twelfth Month Continued

R. Earl at who declared their intentions of marriage with each other at
liberty to marry our last monthly meeting are now left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society & Abijah Chase & Solomon Gurney are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

P. R. Southwick The Committee to visit Philip R Southwick are
continued Continued

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to
P. B. Chase Philadelphia monthly meeting for Philip Brown Chase presented
certificate one which being read & approved the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting

C. Chase The Committee to prepare a certificate to Sandwich month
certificate ly meeting for Charles Chase to accomplish marriage presen-
approved. ted one which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting

A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is rec.d at this time as follows viz

Compl.t "Josiah R. Clough a member of our society has we
vs. J. R. Clough believe through inattention to the inward monitor much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings & at times has indulged in the use of profane language, & lately has married out of the order of our society with a woman not in profession with us; for which he has been spoken with"

"Daniel Johnson }"
"Isaac Bassett } Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Nathaniel Walden & Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month

First Month 1831.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 13th of 1 mo. 1831.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Abijah Chase; for Lynn Gemaliel W. Oliver, Daniel Johnson & Isaac Bassett who are present.

Clerks appointed. The time having expired for which the Clerks were appointed, the representatives propose Samuel Boyce for Clerk & William Bassett for assistant which being approved they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Seabrook the 20th Instant & Isaac Bassett, Estes Newhall, Enoch Page, Daniel Johnson, & Daniel Osborne are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. B. continued. The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

The committee to have the oversight of Robert Earle's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly.

The committee to visit Philip R Southwick presented the following report viz. Agreeably to appointment we have visited Philip R Southwick; he acknowledged the complaint to be just, & altho' nothing like disaffection was apparent, he manifested no disposition to pursue a course of Conduct more consistent with our profession; we therefore can see no use in further labour.

To the mo. meeting to be held at } Isaac Bassett
Salem 13th of 1 mo. 1831 } Abner Chase
Committee

which is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society until he shall return & make friends satisfaction for

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his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do;

P. R. Southwick disowned. & the committee are continued to inform him thereof. —

The committee to visit Josiah R. Clough inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued. —

Compl.t against E. A. Hanson. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Elijah A. Hanson as follows viz. — "Elijah A. Hanson a member of our society has so far departed from our principles & discipline as of late almost to leave the attendance of our religious meetings — & he attends those of another society — He has also joined with & attended the meetings of the free-masons — for all which he has been treated with."

Abijah Chase }
Daniel Osborne }

wherefore we appoint James Purinton & Stephen Nichols to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting. —

Overseers appointed. Salem preparative meeting nominate Abijah Chase, Jonathan Buxton Jr., Jonathan Nichols, Abner Chase & Daniel Osborne — & Lynn Preparative meeting nominate Estes Newhall, Isaac Bassett, Daniel Johnson, & James Purinton for overseers; which being approved they are accordingly appointed to that station for one year. —

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in next month. —

Second Month 1831.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends, held at Lynn 10th of 2 Mo. 1831.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Buxton & Enoch Page, for Lynn Gamaliel W Oliver, Jonathan Boyce, & James Purinton who are present.

J. Bell. continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

The committee to inform Philip R. Southwick of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has not been informed. They are therefore continued.

J. R. Clough continued. The committee to visit Josiah R. Clough inform they have paid attention to the case, but not being prepared to make a full report at this time are continued.

E. A. Hanson continued. The committee to visit Elijah A Hanson are continued.

Complaint against A. Osborn. A Complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting against Abraham Osborne is recd. at this time as follows: viz. "Abraham Osborne a member of our Society has so far departed from our discipline as to marry his first cousin out of the order of Friends with a woman who is also a member of Society.

For the monthly meeting
Salem 2 mo 1831

Abner Chase
Jonathan Buxton
Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Estes Nichols & Enoch Page to visit & treat with him on acc. thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

N. C. Phillips disowned. The Women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Nancy C. Phillips with which this meeting unites.

We appoint Daniel Breed, Benjamin C Pratt, Jonathan Nichols, Enoch Page to audit the treasurer's

Second Month Continued

accounts, settle with the overseers of the Poor & propose a sum of money sufficient to defray the expenses of this meeting for the ensuing year

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month

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Third Month 1831.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 10th of 3 mo 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Wm E Hacker & Stephen Nichols; for Lynn Jacob Chase, Samuel P Johnson & Nathan Breed who are present

J. Bell The committee in the case of John Bell are continued.

continued. The committee to inform Philip R Southwick are continued

J. R. Clough The committee to visit Josiah R Clough inform they continued. have paid attention to the case, but having no report to make at this time are continued

E. H. Hanson The committee to visit Elijah H. Hanson are continued. continued

A. Osborn The committee to visit Abraham Osborn are continued continued.

The committee to audit the treasurer's accounts are Continued

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem preparative meeting is recd at this time against Amos Buxton as follows viz, Amos Buxton a member of our meeting has departed from our known good order by marrying with a

Third Month Continued

Complaint agst. A. Buxton woman not a member of our society; for which he has been treated with.

To the monthly meeting. Daniel Osborn } Jonathan Buxton } overseers

Whereupon we appoint Henry Chase, Jonathan Nichols & Daniel Buxton to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

J. N. Buffum + R. Lummus also W. S Boyce + E. Bassett published. Lynn Preparative inform that James N. Buffum & Ruth Lummus purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other, before this meeting – also that William S Boyce & Eunice Bassett purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other at this time. they have accordingly appeared & severally declared their intentions of marriage as aforesaid;

Whereupon we appoint Benajah Purinton & James Purinton to make the necessary inquiry into the clearness of said James N. Buffum; & Nathan Breed & Estes Newhall to make the necessary inquiry into the clearness of said Wm S Boyce on that account & report at our next monthly meeting.

A communication from Newyork monthly meeting of friends is rec'd at this time as follows viz.

"At the monthly meeting of Newyork held 2 mo. 2 d. 1831. The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of the minute of disownment in the case of H. W. Barnes disowned. Henry W. Barnes, to the monthly meeting of Salem Mass. with a request that it be shown him, & that he be made acquainted with his right to appeal.

Copy

Henry W. Barnes having married a person not in membership with Friends, & having been treated with therefor by a committee of Salem monthly meeting on our behalf, without manifesting the disposition of mind

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required by the discipline — we therefore disown him from being a member of our religious Society"

"Extracted from the minutes"

"To the monthly meeting of } "Wm Birdsall Clerk"
Salem Mass"

"Wm T Mott Correspondent"

Whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase & Enoch Page to take said communication, & give him the necessary information

We appoint Abijah Chase, Stephen Nichols, Daniel Elwell, Wm E Hacker, Gamaliel H. Oliver, Isaac Committee Bassett, Micajah C Pratt, Samuel Neal & William Breed to have the oversight of funerals & to take the necessary care of ~~our~~ burying grounds in place of the former committee — grounds. We appoint Abijah Chase, William E Hacker, Stephen Nichols, Estes Newhall, Nathan Breed, Daniel Johnson, Charles Chase & Isaac Bassett for overseers of the poor for the ensuing year

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month

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Fourth Month 1831

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 14th of 4 mo. 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase & William E Hacker; for Lynn James Purinton & Daniel Johnson who are present

Cont. The committee in the case of John Bell are continued

P. R. S. The committee to inform Philip R Southwick of the

informed. conclusion of the meeting in his case report he has been informed —

Fourth Month Continued.

J. R. Clough continued. The committee to visit Josiah R Clough are continued.

E. A. Hanson. continued. The committee to visit Elijah A Hanson inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued.

A. Osborne continued. The committee to visit Abraham Osborne inform they have paid attention to it, but not being ready to report at this time are continued.

Committee to audit treasurer's report. The committee to audit the treasurer's accs presented the following report viz. "Pursuant to appointment we have audited the account of the treasurer, & settled with the overseers of the Poor, & find that each preparative meeting has paid its proportion as directed by the monthly meeting. There is a small ballance in the treasury & the committee would recommend that the interest accruing from the money received from the sale of the Boston meeting house lot be appropriated towards defraying the expenses of the monthly meeting the ensuing year, & that 400 Dolls be raised in addition.

on behalf of the Committee
To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 14th of 4mo. 1831 } M. C. Pratt

Which is accepted; and our preparative meetings are requested to pay their respective proportions of the sum to be raised to the treasurer of this meeting.

A. Buxton continued. The committee to visit Amos Buxton inform they have paid attention to it; but having no report to make at this time are continued.

J. Buffum at liberty to marry. The committee to inquire into the clearness of James N Buffum on acc of marriage, inform they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein; he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society; & Benjamin & James Purinton are appointed to have the oversight thereof

& report to our next monthly meeting

The committee to inquire into the clearness of William
T. Boyce on account of marriage inform they find nothing to
m. T. Boyce obstruct his proceeding; he is therefore left at liberty to accom-
at liberty plish the same in the order of our society; whereupon we ap-
to marry point Daniel Johnson & Estes Newhall to have the oversight
thereof & report to our next monthly meeting; & it being the
request of the parties concerned, a meeting is appointed tomorrow
afternoon in Lynn at 3 o'clock ~~in the afternoon~~ for the accom-
plishment of said marriage; satisfactory reasons being as-
signed therefor; the women concurring therein

The committee to inform Henry W Barnes of the conclu-
sion of Newyork monthly meeting in his case are continued

N. G. Chase Salem Preparative meeting inform that Nathan G.
removes a Chase requests a certificate of removal for himself & wife
Certificate to Weare monthly meeting; whereupon we appoint Enoch
Page, Solomon Varney & Abijah Chase to unite with a
committee from the women & prepare one to present at our
next monthly meeting for approbation

The women inform they have concluded to disown
P. B. Alley the right of membership in our society of Peace B. Alley
disowned with which this meeting unites

S. Greene Being informed that Stephen Greene (a minor) who produced
minute a Copy of a minute some time since from Seabrook month-
returned ly has returned home, the clerk is directed to return said min-
ute on behalf of the meeting

The business being closed at this time we conclude
purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time in
next month

Fifth Month 1831

At Salem Monthly Meeting of friends held at Lynn 12th of 5 mo. 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem, Abijah Chase & Wm. E. Hacker; for Lynn Daniel Johnson & Theophilis Breed, who are present.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 26th Instant & Wm. E. Hacker, Isaac Bassett, Gamaliel W. Oliver & Abijah Chase are appointed to attend the same as representatives

J. Bell. The Committee to visit John Bell on account
continued. of his request are Continued

J. R. Clough The Committee to visit Josiah R. Clough are
continued. Continued.

E. A. Hanson The Committee to visit Elijah A. Hanson are
continued Continued

The committee to visit Abraham Osborne presented the following report viz "Agreeable to appointment we have had an interview with Abraham Osborne he admits the statement made by the overseers to be correct but does not appear disposed to make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings in this respect — we do not think further care by us will be usefull"

"Estes Newhall"
"Enoch Page"

A. Osborne which is accepted; & we do therefore with the concur-
disowned rence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society, untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings: which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are Continued to inform thereof.

The committee to visit Amos Buxton inform they

Fifth Month Continued.

ductors have paid attention to it; but having no report to make at this
Continued. time are continued.

The Committee to have the oversight of James N. Buffum's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly.

Also the committee to have the oversight of William S. Boyce's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly.

W. Barnes informed. The committee to inform Henry W. Barnes of the conclusion of Newyork monthly meeting in this case report, he has been informed.

N. G. Ch. certificate The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Weare monthly meeting for Nathan G. Chase & wife presented one which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

Buffum compl.t A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against Edward Buffum a minor as follows. Viz "Edward Buffum a minor son of Israel Buffum has we believe through a want of a guarded education, wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings & has so far departed from our testimony against war as to join the militia in their trainings; for which he has been spoken with."

"To the monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn the 12th Instant" } "Daniel Johnson"
"James Purinton" } overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Gamaliel W. Oliver, Benajah Purinton & Henry Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

H. Breed disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Harriet Breed with which this meeting unites.

The business being closed at this time, we conclude; purposing to meet again in Lynn on 4th day before the second 5th day in next month.

Sixth Month 1831

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends, held at Lynn 8th of 6 mo. 1831.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Enoch Page & Stephen Nichols – for Lynn Richard Holden & Nathaniel Walden who are present.

J. Hoag present. Our esteemed friend Joseph Hoag attended this meeting with a certificate from Farrisburgh monthly meeting dated 27. of 4 mo., & endorsed by Farrisburg Quarterly meeting; his company & gospel labours among us have been sattisfactory & eddifying.

J. Bell. continued. The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

J. R. Clough continued. The committee in the case of Josiah R Clough are continued.

The committee in the case of Elijah A. Hanson presented the following report viz. "Agreeably to our appointment we have treated with Elijah A. Hanson on account of the complaint & advised with him for his restoration; but after hearing his views on the subject, it appeared to us that he had no desire to conform to the discipline of our society or make friends any sattisfaction for his outgoings: we see no encouragement for further waiting.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 5th instant } James Purinton } Stephen Nichols } Committ

which is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

E. A. H. disowned.

A. Osborne informed. The committee to inform Abraham Osborn of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Sixth Month Continued

ea. Buxton
continued.

The committee in the case of Amos Buxton are continued.

The committee in the case of Edward Buffum (a minor) are continued.

P. W. Newhall
& H. Johnson
published

Lynn Preparative meeting inform that Paul W. Newhall from Phil.a & Hannah Johnson purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other at this time; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each & are refered to an adjournment of this meeting for an answer: said Paul being at a distance from home this meeting concludes to adjourn for his accomodation.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

Adjourned to the 29th Instant to meet again at this place at 10 in the morning.

29th. Friends met according to adjournment.

P. W. Newhall
at liberty
to marry.

Paul W. Newhall & Hannah Johnson who declared their intentions of marriage with each other at our last sitting are now left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our Society; & (David Johnson & Isaac Bassett are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time next month.

Seventh Month 1831

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 14th of 7mo 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem, Enoch Page & Solomon Varney; for Lynn James Purinton & Charles Chase who are present

J. Bell. continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

J. R. Clough continued. The committee in the case of Josiah R. Clough not being prepared to report are continued

E. A. Henson informed. The committee to inform Elijah A. Henson of the conclusion of ~~the conclusion~~ of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

A. Buxton continued. The committee in the case of Amos Buxton having no report to make at this time are continued

E. Buffum continued. The committee in the case of Edward Buffum a (minor) are continued

The committee to have the oversight of Paul W. Newhall's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly; & that the certificate has been handed to the recorder

J. N. Estes. requests a certificate Salem Preparative meeting informs that James N. Estes requests a certificate to Weare Monthly meeting to accomplish marriage; whereupon we appoint Jonathan Buxton Jr & Enoch Page to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one & present to our next monthly meeting

J. Buxton & R. Greene published. Salem Preparative meeting informs that John Buxton purposes laying his intentions of marriage with Ruth Greene before this meeting - They have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other; & Daniel Buxton & Stephen Nichols are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into the said John's clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting

A certificate of removal is recd from the monthly

Seventh Month Continued

I. B. Collins meeting of friends in Newyork in favour of Isaac
certificate (B. Collins a minor) which is accepted.
accepted.
A Communication from the meeting for sufferings
is recd. at this time as follows viz.
"The yearly meeting having committed the charge
of their meeting house in Boston to the meeting for sufferings,
Communication this meeting after deliberating on the subject concluded to
from the place the government of the house for the present under the
meeting for care of Salem Monthly meeting, requesting that meeting within whose limits the
sufferings house is located, to take charge of house & premises, taking
respecting such care in regard to its use as will in their judgment be
government consistent with the good order & best interest of society.
of the meetg And Abraham Shearman Jr, Stephen Gould, William
house in Jenkins, William Almy, Francis Taber, John Osborne, John
Boston. Farnum, & Thomas Howland are appointed a Committee
to which Salem monthly meeting may apply for advise
or assistance as circumstances may from time to time point
out or require."
"Extracted from the minutes of meeting for sufferings, held at Newport 17th of 6mo. 1831"
"Thos. Howland Clerk"

And it is the conclusion of this meeting that the said
meeting house & premises be placed under the direction of
the overseers who are desired to take the necessary care
in relation to the same.
The business being accomplished, we Conclude
purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time
in next month.

215 Eighth Month 1831

At Salem Monthly meeting of Friends, held at Lynn 11th of 8 mo. 1831.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem John Buxton Jr & Jonathan Nichols; for Lynn Theophilis Breed, Nathaniel Walden, & Daniel Johnson who are present.

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Lynn the 18th Instant, & James Purinton, Charles Chase, Nathanl Walden James Breed Jr & Abner Chase are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

J. Bell. The committee to visit John Bell on account of
Continued. his request not being prepared to report at this time are continued.

J. R. Clough The Committee in the case of Josiah R. Clough
Continued. inform they have paid attention to their appointment but not being prepared to make a full report at this time are continued.

A. Buxton. The committee in the case of Amos Buxton inform
Continued. they have attended to it, but not being prepared to make a full report are continued.

The committee in the case of Edward Buffum (a minor) presented the following report viz. "We have visited Edward Buffum Jr & he admits the complaint to be true; we believe his mind became alienated from friends society in consequence of a misguided instruction when quite young hence it is as he grew in years, he has departed & more & more deviated from that good order & those peculiar testimonies our society ever held to the world; we see no good that may result to him or society from any further labour with him. All which we submit to the mo. meeting to be held at Lynn 8 mo. 11th 1831

Henry Chase
Saml. W Oliver
Committee

Eighth Month Continued

E. Buffum disowned — which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

J. N. Estes certificate — The committee to prepare a certificate to Weare monthly meeting for James N Estes to accomplish marriage presented one, which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

J. Buxton at liberty to marry — The committee to make the necessary inquiry into the clearness of John Buxton on account of marriage inform they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein; he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society, & Daniel Buxton & Jonathan Nichols are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Complt against T. Nichols — A Complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting is recd at this time against Thomas Nichols as follows viz. "Thomas Nichols a member of our society we believe through unwatchfullness has suffered his mind to wander into unprofitable speculations in relation to religious matters, under the influence of which he has departed from the simplicity of our profession & has altogether left the attendance of our religious meetings & attends those of another society, whom we have reason to fear do not receive some of the important doctrines of christianity— for which he has been treated with.

"To the monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th of 8mo 1831."

"Abner Chase"
"Daniel Osborne"
"Abijah Chase"

whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall, Enoch Page, & Charles Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Eighth Month Continued

complaint against D. W. Newhall. A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is recd. at this time against against Daniel Wendall Newhall as follows viz.. "Daniel Wendall Newhall a member of our society has almost wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another Society; he has been treated with, & although no disaffection is apparent, he manifests no disposition to live more consistent with the good order of our society".

"To the Monthly Meeting to be held"
at Lynn 11th of 8 mo. 1831.

"Isaac Bassett"
"James Purinton"
Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Jonathan Nichols, Charles Chase & Abijah Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next month

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Ninth Month 1831.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 8th of 9 mo. 1831.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborne, & Enoch Page; for Lynn Charles Chase & James Purinton who are all present but one

J. Bell continued. The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued.

J. R. Clough continued. The committee to visit Josiah R. Clough are continued.

Ninth Month Continued

A. Buxton cont: The committee to visit Amos Buxton are continued

The committee to inform Edward Buffum Jr of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

The committee to have the oversight of John Buxton's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly & the certificate has been handed to the recorder.

T. Nichols continued. The committee to visit Thomas Nichols not being ready to report at this time are continued.

The committee to visit Daniel Wendall Newhall presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Daniel Wendall Newhall & he admitted the complaint to be just — we could not discover any disposition in him to pursue a different course We therefore think any further labour with him will be unavailing."

"To the monthly meeting" } "Charles Chase"
"Abijah Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols"

D. W. Newhall disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

J. Collins disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Judith Collins with which this meeting unites.

H. B. Silsbee complaint. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is recd at this time against Henry B. Silsbee as follows viz. Henry B. Silsbee a member of our society, we beleive for the want of a due attention to that divine principle which preserves from evil, has for a long time wholly neglected the important duty of attending our religious meetings and makes no profession with us; for which

Ninth Month Continued.,

he has been treated with.,

To the monthly meeting to
be held at Lynn the 8th Instant } { Daniel Johnson
James Purinton }
Overseers.

Whereupon we appoint Charles Chase, & Micajah C. Pratt, to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.,

Extracts from the minutes of our Yearly meeting are recieved at this time as follow viz.,

See printed copy.,

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.,

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next month.,

At a Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, held on Rhode-Island, from the 12th to the 17th, inclusive, of the sixth month, 1831.

The following Report of the Boarding School Committee was received and read, and being considered, was satisfactory to this Meeting, and the Clerk was directed to forward copies thereof to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings.

TO THE YEARLY MEETING.

The Boarding School Committee report, That they have during the past year, endeavored to promote the objects of their appointment in a general superintendence of the Institution, and think they may inform, that its various concerns have been conducted in accordance with the intention of Friends in its establishment. Meetings for worship have been regularly kept up, and the family preserved in harmony.

The School is continued under the immediate care of Enoch and Lydia Breed, as Superintendents, with the assistance of Stephen and Hannah Gould. Moses A. Cartland, Jeremiah Hacker, and Pliny Earl, jun. are at present employed as Teachers in the Boy's School, and Deborah Ramsdell, Sarah Fry, and Dorcas Fry, in the Girls'. Benjamin B. Hussey, Lydia B. Allen, and Phebe Burgess, have also been employed during a part of the past year. Arrangements are now made with Caroline Cartland to occupy the place of an associate Teacher, and she is expected to enter upon her duties as such in a few days.

The average number of Scholars during the year has been one hundred and twenty-eight. Their health has been generally good, and their conduct and improvement in their studies have been satisfactory to the Committee.

The accounts of the Treasurer of the School Fund and of the Superintendent have been received and audited, and the state of the fund is such, that the Committee think it safe to propose, that children who are members of this Yearly Meeting continue to be admitted at twelve and a half dollars per quarter, and that the privilege of sending children, free of expense, be continued to Monthly Meetings the same as last year.

The subject of extending the branches of education in the School, which was referred to the Committee by the last Yearly Meeting, claimed their early consideration, and they have proceeded in the erection of an addition to the School House, suitable for the accommodation of Scholars who wish to pursue a more extended course of education. A person to have the charge of these branches of learning has not yet been procured, but the Committee entertain a hope, that one suitably qualified, may soon be engaged.

It still continues to be the earnest desire of the Committee, that Friends who place their children in the School should be careful that they are habited in plain attire, and instructed to conform carefully to the rules and regulations of the Institution.—And they feel the propriety of again reviving the advice contained in their Report, last year, that Friends avoid sending Boys over fourteen years of age to the School, until they have first obtained the approbation of the Committee that meets at Providence on the third day-after the last fifth-day in each month.

Signed on behalf of the Committee,

MOSES BROWN,
ALICE RATHBUN.

Providence, 5 mo. 6, 1831.

We are informed by Baltimore Yearly Meeting, that the following additional Correspondents have been appointed since last year, viz. :

Thomas Bowen and James Macreal, for Dunnings' Creek Monthly Meeting.
John Griffith, jun. and Mahlon Scholfield, for Hopewell Monthly Meeting.

One of whom is to sign, in addition to the usual signatures of the Clerks, all minutes and certificates issued by these Meetings for ministers and members of our religious society.

——————— By Philadelphia Yearly Meeting,—that they have appointed as Correspondents,

For Philadelphia	Quarter, Caleb Pierce and Charles Allen.
Abington,	Abraham Keyser, Germantown.
Concord,	John Bullock, Wilmington, Del.
Caln,	James Embree, Bradford, Chester Co.
Western,	Solomon Lukens, Coatsville, Chester Co.
Burlington,	Simon Gillam, Mansfield, Burlington Co. in place of William Newbold, deceased.
Haddonfield,	Uriah Borton, Evesham, N. J.

——————— By New-York Yearly Meeting, that

David Allen, of Charleston, Montgomery Co., N. Y. is appointed Correspondent for *Duanesburgh Monthly Meeting.*
Nathan Bishop, of New-Hartford, Oneida Co., N. Y. Correspondent for *Bridgewater Monthly Meeting.*
James Brown, of Peekskill, Westchester Co., N. Y. Correspondent for *Amawalk Monthly Meeting.*

From the minutes of said Meeting,
A. SHEARMAN, Jun. *Clerk.*

Tenth Month 1831

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 13th of 10 mo. 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase, & David Osborne; for Lynn Gamaliel W. Oliver, James Purinton, Isaac Bassett & Benajah Purinton who are all present but one; for whose absence a sattisfactory reason is assigned

The Queries, have been read at this time with the required answers thereto, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Weare the 20th Instant & Abijah Chase, John Buxton Jr, Enoch Page, Isaac Bassett & Nathan Breed are appointed to attend the same as representatives

J. Pet. continued The Committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are Continued

The committee to visit Josiah R Clough presented the following report. viz "Agreeably to appointment we have several times visited & treated with Josiah R Clough on the subject of the Complaint against him; In marrying he is sensible of departing from the good order of society, and in the use of profane language, he admits he had been in the practise of using it; but was not at the time the complaint was presented, & he fully condemns it; he has in the several interviews with him, expressed a desire to be continued a member, & appears sincere therein; he has handed us a paper which we herewith forward to the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 13th Inst."

"Nath. Walden"

"Daniel Johnson"

J. R. Clough restored Also an acknowledgement from him; both of which are accepted; & he is accordingly with the concurrence of the women restored to the priveledges of our society; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof

Tenth Month Continued

A. Buxton continued. The committee in the case of Amos Buxton are Continued.

E. Buffum Jr. informed. The committee to inform Edward Buffum Jr of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

E. Silsbee Jr. disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Elizabeth Silsbee Jr with which this meeting unites.

The committee in the case of Thomas Nichols presented the following report viz, "Agreeable to appointment we have had an opportunity with Thomas Nichols; he admited the complaint to be correct but manifested no disposition to alter his practices, or any wish to be longer waited on by friends."

"To the monthly meeting at Salem 10 mo 13th."

"Estes Newhall"
"Charles Chase"
"Enoch Page"

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore

T. Nichols disowned. with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society until he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are Continued to inform him thereof.

Dw. Newhall informed. The committee to inform Daniel Wendall Newhall of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

H.B. Silsbee. continued. The committee to visit Henry B Silsbee are continued.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eleventh Month 1831

At Salem monthly meeting of friends held at Lynn 10th of 11 mo 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem William E Hacker & Ichabod Nichols. for Lynn Nathan Breed & Samuel Neal, who are all present.

J. Bell.
continued.

The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued

J. R. Clough
informed.

The committee to inform Josiah R Clough of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

A. Buxton
continued.

The committee in the case of Amos Buxton inform they have attended to it but having no report to make at this time are continued

T. Nichols.
informed.

The committee to inform Thomas Nichols of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

The committee in the case of Henry B Silsbee presented the following report viz "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Henry B Silsbee on account of a complaint that was presented against him; Altho' he appeared sensible of his departure from the good order of our society, yet he does not wish to remain a member any longer — therefore we do not think any further labour from us, would be of any use to him"

"Lynn 11 mo 10th 1831"

"Charles Chase"
"Micajah C Pratt"
Committee

H. B. Silsbee
disowned.

which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do, & the Committee are con-

-tinued to inform him thereof

Epistle read. The London printed epistle for the present year has been read at this time to our sattisfaction & encouragement; & our preparative meetings are requested to have one read at the close of a first day meeting

Holy Scriptures received. We have at this time received from our Quarterly meeting ten volumes of the Holy Scriptures for the benifit of those of our members who are destitute; whereupon we request the committee appointed last year upon the subject to take them & distribute them where they are needed most

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Lynn at the usual time next month

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Twelfth Month 1831

At Salem monthly meeting of friends held at Lynn 8th of 12 mo 1831

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase, & Joshua Buxton, for Lynn Daniel Breed & Nathaniel Walden who are present

M. Meader present. Our esteemed friend Martha Meader attended this meeting with a certificate from Sandwich monthly meeting State of New Hampshire dated 7 mo 31 1831 whose company & Gospel labours among us have been acceptable

E. Meader present. Also our esteemed friend Ezra Meader, husband & companion to the aforesaid friend whose company & services have been acceptable; & the clerk is directed to furnish them with an extract of this minute

Twelfth Month Continued.

J. Bell continued. The committee to visit John Bell on account of his request are continued & desired to report as way may open.

A. Buxton. continued. The Committee in the case of Amos Buxton are continued.

H. B. Silsbee. continued. The committee to inform Henry B. Silsbee of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

Compl.t against L. Pope. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Lot Pope as follows viz. "Lot Pope a member of our society has for a long time left the attendance of our religious meetings, & has also married out of the order of society with a woman not in profession with us for which he has been spoken with."

"To the monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn the 8th of
12 mo. 1831." } "Abner Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint William E. Hacker & Abijah Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Compl.t against D. Collins. A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Daniel Collins Jr as follows viz. "Daniel Collins Jr a member of our society has for some time past left the attendance of our Religious meetings & has at times indulged in the frequent & we believe intemperate use of ardent spirits; for which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting
to be held at Lynn 8th of 12 mo. 1831" } "Daniel Johnson"
"Estes Newhall"
overseers

whereupon we appoint James Breed Jr & Nathan

Twelfth Month Continued

Breed, to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

The time having nearly expired for which the Clerks were appointed we appoint Estes Newhall, Abijah Chase, Charles Chase, & Jonathan Nichols to consult some suitable persons & propose them at our next monthly meeting

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

First Month. 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 12th of 1 mo 1832

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase & Stephen Nichols; for Lynn James Purinton, Micajah C. Pratt & Nathan Breed who are all present

Clerks. appointed The committee appointed at our last monthly meeting to consult some suitable persons for Clerks propose Samuel Boyce for Clerk & Daniel Johnson assistant, which being approved they are accordingly appointed to that service for one year

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Seabrook the 19th Instant; & David Osborne, Estes Newhall, Enoch Page, & Henry Chase are appointed to attend the same as representatives

A. Buxton continued The committee in the case of Amos Buxton are continued

First Month Continued

The committee to inform Henry D. Silsbee of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

L. Pope continued. The committee in the case of Lot Pope are continued.

The committee in the case of Daniel Collins Jr presented the following report. viz. "Agreeably to appointment one of the committee has called on Daniel Collins Jr on account of the complaint against him but he refuses to meet the committee on the subject"

"James Breed"
"Lynn 1 Mo 12th 1832" "Nathan Breed"

D. Collins Jr. disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him this information.

Compl.t agst. P. Buxton. A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative, is rec.d at this time against Paul Buxton Jr as follows viz. "Paul Buxton Jr a member of our society has for some time past much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & has lately married out of the order of friends with a woman not in profession with us; for which he has been spoken to."

"to the Monthly Meeting" "Daniel Osborn"
"Jonathan Buxton" Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Enoch Page & Jonathan Nichols to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Complaint agst. E. Newhall. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against Enos Newhall as follows viz. "Enos Newhall has so far disregarded the good order of our society as to marry a woman not in profession with us; for which he has been treated

First Month Continued

To the monthly meeting to be held } Estes Newhall
at Salem 1 Mo 12th 1832 } Daniel Johnson

Whereupon we appoint Josiah Chase & Samuel Neal to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Complaint against W. F. Johnson. Also a complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against William F. Johnson as follows viz. "William F. Johnson a member of our society has for some time mostly left the attendance of our religious meetings, for which he has been treated with; & has of late married out of the order of society with a woman not in profession with us.

To the monthly meeting to be held } Daniel Johnson
at Salem 1 Mo 12th 1832 } Estes Newhall

Whereupon we appoint Nathaniel Walden & Nathan Breed to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Overseers appointed. Salem Preparative meeting propose Abner Chase, Abijah Chase, Jonathan Buxton Jr, Jonathan Nichols, & Daniel Osborne; & Lynn Preparative meeting propose James Purinton, Estes Newhall, Charles Chase, Samuel Neal & Nathan Breed for the station of overseers; which being approved by this meeting they are accordingly appointed to that station for one year.

I. B. displaced from station of Elder. We are informed by the meeting of ministers & elders held on the 11th Instant, that they are united in believing that Isaac Bassett through unwatchfulness has lost his usefullness in that meeting & has become disqualified for the station of an elder; and after deliberation thereon this meeting with the concurrence of the women is united in displacing him from that station; and the Clerk is directed to give the necessary information.

First Month Continued

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Second Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 2 mo, 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborn & Solomon Varney, for Lynn Micajah C. Pratt & William Breed who are present.

The committee in the case of Amos Buxton presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have had several opportunities with Amos Buxton & we believe he is sincere in his desires to make friends sattisfaction for that breach of order for which he was complained of; he has handed us a paper, by way of acknowledgment which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 9th of 2d mo 1832.

Daniel Buxton
Henry Chase

A. Buxton restored. Also the acknowledgement from him; both of which are accepted; and he is therefore with the concurrence of the women restored to the priveledges of our society; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

The committee to inform Henry B. Silsbee of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

The committee in the case of Lot Pope presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Lot Pope on the subject of the complaint against him, & altho' he acknowledges the justness of the charges, he manifests no disposition to make friends sattisfaction for the same or any wish to be longer waited on by us. To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 9th of 2 mo. 1832.

Abijah Chase
Wm E Hacker

Second Month Continued

which after deliberation is accepted; and we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information

Lt. Pope disowned.

The committee to inform Daniel Collins Jr. of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

D. Collins Jr. informed.

The committee in the case of Paul Buxton Jr are continued

The committee in the case of Enos Newhall are continued

The committee to visit Wm F. Johnson presented the following report viz "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Wm F. Johnson; he appears pleasant towards society, but does not wish the committee to wait on him any longer as he has concluded to attend another meeting"

"Lynn 2 mo 9th 1832 "Nathl Walden
"Nathan Breed"

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for this outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof

Wm F. Johnson disowned.

A certificate of removal from Smithfield monthly meeting is recd at this time on behalf of Buffum Allen which is accepted

Certificate on behalf of B. Allen.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem preparative meeting is recd at this time against Fenton Watson as follows, viz "Fenton Watson a member

Second Month Continued

Complaint of our society has for some time past nearly left the atten-
agt. dance of our religious meetings & has also so far disregarded
J. Watson. the good order established amongst us in relation to mar-
riage, as to marry out of the order of society with a wom-
an who is also a member; for which he has been treat-
ed with

For the monthly meeting to be held } Abner Chase
at Lynn the 9th of 2 mo 1832 } Jonathan Nichols
Overseers

whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase, Wm E Hacker, and Ichabod Nichols, to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

Complt. A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn pre-
I. Bassett. parative meeting is received at this time against Isaac Bassett as follows viz "Isaac Bassett through unfaithfullness to that divine principle which would have preserved him from evil has given way to temptation so far as to conduct in a very improper, and indecorous manner towards some females; to the wounding of his own peace, the grief of his friends & reproach of Society

On which account he has been treated with & does not at all justify his conduct herein".

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 9th of 2 mo 1832"

"Estes Newhall"
"Charles Chase"
"James Purinton Overseers"

whereupon we appoint Abner Chase, Abijah Chase, Ichabod Nichols & Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on the subject & report as way opens

The representatives to our last quarterly meeting inform they all attended

We appoint Jonathan Nichols, Samuel Boyce, & Gamaliel W. Oliver to audit & settle the accounts of the treasurer

Second Month Continued

and overseers of the poor & propose a sum of money sufficient to meet the expenses of this meeting the ensuing year; also to propose some suitable person for treasurer.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next month.

Third Month 1832.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 8th of 3mo 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols, & Wm E Hacker; for Lynn Estes Newhall & Samuel Neal who are present.

A. Buxton The committee to inform Amos Buxton of the con-
informed. clusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

H. B. Silsbee. The committee to inform Henry B Silsbee of the con-
informed. clusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

L. Pope. Also the committee to inform Lot Pope of the con-
informed. clusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

P. Buxton Jr The committee to visit Paul Buxton jr inform they
continued. have attended to their appointment but having no report to make at this time are continued.

E. Newhall The committee in the case of Enos Newhall inform
continued. they have attended to it but having no report to make at this time are continued.

W. F. Johnson. The committee to inform Wm F. Johnson of the con-
informed. clusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Third Month Continued

The Committee on the case of Fenton Watson presented the following report viz. "We have agreeable to appointment visited Fenton Watson on the complaint against him; he is sensible of having transgressed the order of our society but not disposed to make any satisfaction, and any more attention to the case from us we think will be unavailing". "To the monthly meeting to be } "Abijah Chase" {
held at Lynn 3 mo. 8th 1832". } "Wm E Hacker" } Committee

"Which after deliberation thereon" is accepted; &
F. Watson. we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny
disowned him the right of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

I. R. continued. The committee to visit Isaac Russell are continued.

The committee to audit & settle the accounts of
Treasr. the treasurer, & overseers of the poor presented the following
accounts report. Viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have audited
audited & settled the accounts of the treasurer & overseers of the poor & find that each preparative meeting has paid its proportion of money into the treasury, & that there is a balance now in the treasury of 29.41cts. There are a few demands against the Meeting which have not been presented for settlement which last years appropriations will nearly liquidate. We would reccommend that 500 Dollars be raised to defray the expenses of this meeting the year ensuing".

"To the monthly meeting to be" } On behalf of the com-
held at Lynn 8th of 3 mo 1832" } mittee" &c.

"Jonathan Nichols"

Which is accepted; and our preparative meetings are requested to pay their proportions of the money to be raised into the treasury.

W. Bassett Treasurer.

The committee have also proposed William Bassett for treasurer; which being approved he is accordingly appointed to that service.

liberty requested to build a new Meetg House at Salem.

Salem Preparative meeting have at this time requested liberty to dispose of their meeting house & build a new one; they also propose that the unappropriated funds of this meeting which are now bearing interest be equally divided between the two preparative meetings, and that they take their half towards defraying the expense of building the house; Whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase, W^{m} E. Hacker, Estes Newhall, Daniel Johnson, Samuel Boyce & Jonathan Nichols, to take the subject into consideration & if no sufficient objection appears, to proceed therein agreeable to the request of that meeting.

Salem Preparative meeting also have liberty granted them to dispose of a pasture belonging to that meeting & to appropriate the proceeds towards defraying the expenses of the house.

Compl^{t}. agst G.C. Buxton

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Preparative meeting is rec^{d} at this time against George C Buxton as follows viz. "George C. Buxton a member of our society, has for some time past very much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & has of late married a woman not in profession with us; for which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be holden at Lynn the 8th Instant"

"Abijah Chase"
"Daniel Johnson"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Ichabod Nichols & Abner Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Salem Preparative meeting inform that Moses

Third Month Continued

M. Gove requests – Certificate Gove requests a certificate of removal to Weare Monthly meeting for himself & family; whereupon we appoint Enoch Page & Daniel Buxton to unite with the women in preparing one & present to our next monthly meeting for approbation.

S. Choate requests. A request to be restored to membership in our society is received at this time from Samuel Choate, by way of Lynn Preparative meeting; whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall, James Purinton, & Daniel Johnson to visit him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next month.

Fourth Month 1832.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends, held at Salem 12th of 4 mo. 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem John Buxton, & Jonathan Nichols; for Lynn James Breed Jr, William Bassett & William Breed who are present.

The Committee in the case of Paul Buxton Jr presented the following report viz. "Agreeable to appointment we have visited Paul Buxton Jr on account of the complaint against him; he appeared sensible of his deviations & desirous of making sattisfaction to friends & has handed us an acknowledgement which we beleive to be sincere & think it would be well to receive.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 12th Instant } Jonathan Nichols, Enoch Page } Committee

Fourth Month Continued.

P. Buxton Jr. Also the acknowledgement from him; both of which
restored are accepted; & he is accordingly restored to the privileges of our society; the women concurring herein;
And the committee are continued to give him the information.

E. Newhall, The committee in the case of Enos Newhall
continued. are continued.

The women inform the have concluded to disown
A. Watson, the right of membership in our society of Anna Watson
disowned. (late Putman) with which this meeting unites.

The committee to inform Fenton Watson of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

I. Bassett The committee in the case of Isaac Bassett are
continued. continued.

Committee on The committee on the subject of Salem meeting
Salem Meet. house & dividing the unappropriated funds which are
House. contd. bearing interest are continued.

G. C. Buxton The committee in the case of George C. Buxton are
continued. continued.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal
M. Gove to Weare monthly meeting for Moses Gove & family, presented
certificate one which being read & approved; the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

J. Gove & A certificate of removal on behalf of John Gove & family
family, from Starksboro' monthly meeting is recd. at this time, which
certificate is accepted.

S. Choate The committee in the case of Samuel Choate inform
continued. they have attended to their appointment but having no report to make at this time are continued.

G. Estes. The women inform they have concluded to disown the
disowned right of membership in our society of Gulielma Estes; with which this meeting unites.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem Pre-

Fourth Month Continued

Compl.t against John Gove

parative meeting is rec.d at this time against John Gove as follows. viz — "John Gove a member of our society, has we believe for want of attention to the monition of Divine Grace on his own heart which would have preserved him in moral rectitude & made him usefull to himself & family, for want of which he has suffered himself to fall into the pernicious practice of using ardent Spirits — we believe some times to intoxication; we also believe he has been in the habit of using profane language; we have reason also to fear he has not done all in his power to do justice to his creditors & has recently left his family in a very disreputable manner; for which he has been treated with, except for the last offence —

For the monthly meeting to be held
at Salem the 12th of 4 mo. 1832

Abner Chase
Abijah Chase
Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Daniel Osborne & Enoch Page to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting —

Compl.t against J. G. Dow

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting against James G. Dow is rec.d at this time as follows viz — "James G. Dow a member of our society has so far departed from the good order thereof as wholly to leave the attendance of our religious meetings & attend those of another society, & has of late married a woman not in membership with us; for which he has been spoken to — "To the monthly meeting to be held
at Salem the 12th Instant —"

"James Purinton"
"Nathan Breed"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Theophilus Breed & Gamaliel W. Oliver to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting —

Fourth Month Continued

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next month

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Fifth Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 10th of 5 mo. 1832

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase & Jonathan Buxton Jr; For Lynn James Purinton, William Bassett & James Breed Jr, who are all present but one, for whose absence a sattisfactory reason is assigned

The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto; from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 24th Instant & Jonathan Nichols, Samuel Neal, Henry Chase, Samuel P. Johnson & Samuel Boyce are appointed to attend the same as representatives

S. Gove. A certificate of removal on behalf of Squire Gove &
Certificate family from Starksboro' monthly meeting is rec^d at this time
which is accepted

G. Little. A certificate of removal on behalf of George Little
Certificate (a minor) from Pembroke monthly meeting is also rec^d at
accepted this time which is accepted

Also a certificate of removal from Dover monthly
J. Haines meeting on behalf of Joseph Haines is rec^d at this time
Certificate which is accepted

The women inform they have concluded to disown
A.M.C. the right of membership in our society of Ann Maria
disown^d Clough, with which this meeting unites

The Committee to inform Paul Buxton Jr of the

Fifth Month Continued

E. Buxton the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he
informed. has been informed

The committee in the case of Enos Newhall presented the following report viz "Agreeable to appointment we have had several opportunities with Enos Newhall on account of the complaint from the overseers against him; he is sensible that he has departed from the order of society, but has a desire to retain his right in society, & appears willing to make friends sattisfaction & we think he is sincere; he has handed us a paper which we forward to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 5 mo 10th 1832"

"Samuel Neal"
"Isaiah Chase"

E. Newhall
restored. Also the acknowledgement from him; both of which are accepted; & he is accordingly restored to the priveledges of our society & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof

The committee to inform Fenton Watson of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued

I. B.
continued. The Committee in the case of Isaac Bassett are continued

The committee on the subject of Salem Meeting House presented the following report viz

report of
committee
respecting
Salem
M. House "The committee on the subject of Salem Meeting House etc. report; that after a due consideration thereon, they have concluded that a division of the unappropriated funds of the monthly meeting, which are bearing interest be made according to the request of Salem Preparative meeting, & that they have liberty to dispose of their meeting house & build another in the way proposed"

"To the monthly meeting to be
held at Lynn the 10th Instant"
Estes Newhall
Wm E Hacker

Which is accepted; & our overseers are authorized &

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directed to make an equal division of said fund between our two meetings; & as Lynn Preparative Meeting do not wish to make any appropriation of their part at present, the overseers are directed to hold the same in trust together with the interest which may annually accrue thereon, for the sole use & benefit of said preparative meeting.

Salem Meetg. at liberty to build.

And Salem Preparative meeting therefore have liberty granted them to sell their meeting House & build another, & are requested to report to this meeting when accomplished.

The committee in the case of George C. Buxton presented the following report viz "Pursuant to appointment we have visited George Cook Buxton; although he appeared to be sensible he had transgressed the order & discipline of Society, as exhibited in the complaint against him; we did not however discover a disposition to make Friends sattisfaction, or any desire for the meeting to wait longer on him; we therefore beleive any further attention to the subject will be unavailing from us; Which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 10th of 5mo. 1832."

"Abner Chase"
"Ichabod Nichols Jr"

G.C. Buxton disowned.

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society, until he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The committee to visit Samuel Choate on account of his request presented the following report viz., "Agreeably to appointment we have several times visited & treated with Samuel Choate, on the subject of his request to be readmitted into society. He appears sensible of his departure from

Fifth Month Continued

moral rectitude & from the good order of society, & is we believe sincerely sorrowfull therefor; and we think it will be safe to receive him into membership again; all which is submitted to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 5 mo. 10th 1832" } "Daniel Johnson"
"James Purinton"
"Estes Newhall"

S. Choate received. Which is accepted; and he is accordingly admitted to the priveledges of our society; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

J. G. Continued The committee in the case of John Gove are continued.

The committee in the case of James G. Dow presented the following report. viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have visited James G. Dow on account of the complaint exhibited against him; He appeared well disposed towards society & acknowledged the charges prefered against him to be just, but was not willing to make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings. We therefore think that any further labour from us would be unnecessary.

To the monthly meeting to be held at
Lynn the 10th d of 5 mo. 1832 }

Theophilus Breed
Gamaliel W. Oliver
Committee

J. G. Dow disowned Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make sattisfaction to friends, which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The business being closed at this time we conclude; purposing to meet again in Lynn on the first Fourth day in next month.

Sixth Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends, held at Lynn 6th of 6 mo. 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase & David Osborne; for Lynn Micajah C. Pratt & James Purinton who are all present.

E. Newhall informed. The committee to inform Enos Newhall of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

F. Watson informed. The committee to inform Fenton Watson of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

I. B. cont'd. The committee in the case of Isaac Bassett are Continued.

G. C. Buxton informed. The committee to inform George C. Buxton of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

S. Choate informed. The committee to inform Samuel Choate of his being received into membership with friends report he has been informed.

J. Gove. Continued. The committee in the case of John Gove are continued.

J. G. Dow. informed. The committee to inform James G. Dow of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

An extract from the minutes of our Quarterly meeting is recd. at this time as follows viz. "At Salem Quarterly meeting of Friends held at Salem 24th of 5 mo. 1832."

Minute from the Qr. Meetg. It appearing by a minute of our last Yearly meeting that this meetings proportion of Yearly Meeting Stock is One Hundred Dollars, & this meeting being at this time informed that the sum of Five Dollars is necessary to pay for new books of record, our monthly meetings are requested to forward their respective proportions of said sums to our Treasurer.

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Salem monthly meeting's proportion is Forty Two Dollars."
"From the minutes of said meeting"
"Daniel Johnson Clerk"

and our treasurer is directed to pay the sum mentioned to the treasurer of our Quarterly meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Seventh Month 1832.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 12th of 7 mo. 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Osborne, & Jonathan Buxton Jr; For Lynn Theophilus Breed & Nathaniel Walden who are present.

D. Rodman family certificate — A certificate of removal from Rhode-Island monthly meeting is received at this time on behalf of David Rodman & family which is accepted.

C. Rodman certificate — Also a certificate of removal from Rhode-Island monthly meeting is recd. at this time on behalf of Caleb Rodman; which is accepted.

R. Southwick presented — Our esteemed friend Royal Southwick attended this meeting with a copy of a minute from Uxbridge monthly meeting dated 30th of 3 month last; whose Company & Gospel labours have been acceptable.

E. Foster presents. — Also our Esteemed Friend Edward Foster attended this meeting as Companion to the aforesaid Friend; with a copy of a minute from Uxbridge monthly meeting; whose Company has been acceptable.

The women inform they have concluded to disown the

Seventh Month Continued

oldsmith disowned.

right of membership in our society of Lydia Gouldsmith, late Estes; with which this meeting unites.

J. B. deferred.

The committee in the case of Isaac Bassett, at this time presented a report, together with an acknowledgement from him; both of which are deferred untill another month for further consideration.

. Gove. ontinued.

The committee in the case of John Gove are continued.

. Buffum equests a ertificate.

Salem preparative meeting inform that Wm Buffum requests a certificate of removal for himself & family to Swanzey monthly meeting, whereupon we appoint Abner Chase & Ichabod Nichols, to unite with a committee from the women & prepare one & present to our next monthly meeting for approbation.

Complt. against H. Smith.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against Henry Smith as follows viz "Henry Smith a member of our society has so far deviated from our profession as for a long time wholly to neglect the attendance of our religious meetings, & we believe is indulging in the frequent & sometimes immoderate use of ardent spirits, for which he has been treated with."
"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the
12th Instant."

"James Purinton }
"Nathan Breed } overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Jonathan Boyce & Nathaniel Walden to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Committee to admit Childreninto N.E.Y.M.B. School.

The Committee to whom application is to be made for children to be admitted to the yearly-meeting Boarding-School are at this time released; & Abijah Chase, Estes Newhall, William Bassett, Nathan Breed, Daniel Osborne, David Osborne, & Jonathan Nichols, are appointed to unite with the women in that service; & friends who wish to have their children admitted to the school are requested to apply

Seventh Month Continued

to said committee for their advice therein.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eighth Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 8 mo. 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Buxton & Jonathan Nichols, for Lynn Estes Newhall & Nathan Breed who are present.

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto, from which a summary has been prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Lynn the 16th Instant; & Stephen Nichols, Abijah Chase, James Purinton, & Gamaliel W Oliver are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

I. B. deferred. The further consideration of the case of Isaac Bassett again claiming the consideration of the meeting, is after a season of deliberation, again deferred untill another month.

J. Gove. cont. The committee in the case of John Gove are continued

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Swanzey monthly meeting for William Buffum & family are continued.

H. Smith continued. The committee in the case of Henry Smith inform they have paid attention to the case, but having no report to make at this time are continued.

The business being closed at this time, we conclude, purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Ninth Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 9 mo 1832

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Daniel Osborn & Jonathan Buxton Jr. For Lynn Nathaniel Walden & Nathan Breed who are all present.

Report of Committee in I. B's case

The report of the committee in the case of Isaac Bassett presented in the 7 month last was at this time again read as follows viz "We have visited Isaac Bassett pursuant to appointment – a part of the Committee have had several interviews with him in relation to the complaint exhibited against him (which he admits to be just & Correct) in all of which, he appeared deeply sensible of the Stain brought on his character, & the wound thereby inflicted on his religious profession; & on the society in which he sustained a conspicuous station; being thus sensible as we believe & in accordance with such a state of mind, he has handed us a paper of acknowledgement which we herewith present to the meeting for their judgment & decision; such are his views & feelings with respect to the whole of this painfull subject, that whatever disposition the meeting may think proper to adopt in relation to it he will, we believe, be reconciled & sattisfied therewith – All which is submitted to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 12th of 7 mo. 1832

Abner Chase
Ichabod Nichols
Abijah Chase
Daniel Johnson

I. B. restored

Also the acknowledgement from him; both of which are after deliberation accepted; And he is therefore with the concurrence of the women restored to the priveledges of our society; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof.

The women inform they have concluded to disown the

Ninth Month Continued

right of membership in our Society of Aimy Sprague with which this meeting unites.

J. Gove
continued.

The committee in the case of John Gove is continued.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Swanzey monthly meeting for Wm Buffum & family is continued.

Report
conc. g.
H. Smith.

The committee in the case of Henry Smith presented the following report, viz. "To the monthly meeting of Friends to be held at Lynn the 13th Instant. Agreeably to appointment we have made several attempts to visit Henry Smith, but he has declined receiving us. One of the committee has had several interviews in private with him; from which it appears that although he acknowledges a belief in friends principles, & the propriety of attending meetings, yet he gives no encouragement of attending in future. the other part of the complaint he will not admit to be just - we believe however the complaint is well founded - we think any further labour in the case from us would be of little use.

Nathaniel Walden
Jonathan Boyce

H. Smith.
disowned

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee is continued to inform him thereof.

Committee
appoint.
respect.
A. Needham's
legacy.

Salem Preparative meeting has nominated Philip Chase Jonathan Nichols, & Enoch Page to receive of the former trustees the legacy left that meeting by the late Alice Needham; this meeting appoints them to hold the same in trust for that preparative meeting.

A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against Moses Breed 2d as follows viz. Moses Breed 2d a member of our society

Ninth Month Continued

omplaint
W.
n Breed

we believe for the want of due attention to the admonition of truth in his own mind, has very much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, and we believe has frequented places of public resort, & at times indulged in the intemperate use of Strong drink; for which he has been several times treated with

To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 13th Instant } James Purinton Estes Newhall } Overseers

Whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase & Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

H. Fry and P. Boyce ublished

Lynn preparative meeting informs that Homer Frye & Patience Boyce purpose laying their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other; & Gamaliel W Oliver & Theophilus Breed are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into said Homers clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting

Committee appointe

We appoint James Purinton & Nathan Breed in addition to the Committee now under appointment to have the oversight of burials & burial grounds

The representatives to our last Quarterly meeting inform they all attended

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month

Tenth Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 10mo 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase, & William H. Chase; for Lynn James Purinton, Micajah C. Pratt. & Nathan Breed who are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto; from which a summary has been prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Weare the 18th Instant; & Nathan Breed, Jonathan Nichols, Samuel Neal, Samuel Boyce, & Henry Chase are appointed to attend the same as representatives.

I. B. informed. The committee to inform Isaac Bassett of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

J. G. Continued. The committee in the case of John Gove are continued.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal for William Buffum & family to Swanzey monthly meeting are continued.

H. S. informed. The committee to inform Henry Smith of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Report. M. Breed. The committee to visit Moses Breed 2d. presented the following report viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have visited Moses Breed 2d. on account of the complaint against him; He did not deny the charges therein exhibited, but in regard to the use of ardent Spirits, said he had now left it off; yet from his views & belief as he manifested them to us, we fear there is but little if any hope of a reformation or improvement, and in his present disposition we believe any further labour from us will be useless."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th Instant."

"Daniel Johnson"
"Abijah Chase"
"Committee"

Tenth Month Continued.

which after deliberation thereon, is accepted; & we do therefore with the Concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society, untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform him thereof. M. Breed 2d disowned.

H. Fry at liberty to marry. The committee to make the necessary inquiry into Homer's Frye's clearness on account of marriage report they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein; he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society; whereupon we appoint Theophalis Breed, & Daniel Johnson to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting; And it being the request of the parties concerned, a meeting is appointed to morrow afternoon in Lynn at 3 o'clock for the accomplishment of said marriage, the women uniting herein; Sattisfactory reasons being assigned therefor.

S. Page ministry approved 75 — We are informed by our meeting of ministers & Elders held on the 10th Instant, that they are united in approving the public appearances in the ministry of Saphronia Page; which after a season of deliberation, meets the approbation & unity of this & the women's meeting. And the Clerk is directed to give the necessary information.

T. Marsh disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our Society of Tamson Marsh with which this meeting unites.

Compl.t against F. Clough. A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against Franklin Clough as follows viz. "Franklin Clough a member of Durham monthly meeting now residing at Lynn within the limits of this monthly meeting has mostly left the attendance of our meetings & attends those of another Society; on which acc.t he has been treated with"

"To the monthly meeting to be } "Estes Newhall"
held at Lynn 10 mo 11th" } "Nathan Breed"

And the Clerk is directed to forward the same to that meeting with an extract of this minute

compll.
against
B. Breed

Also a complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is recd. at this time against Bartlett B Breed as follows viz. "Bartlett B. Breed a member of our Society has so far deviated from the good order thereof as wholly to leave the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another Society & has also paid a militia fine; & of late has married with a woman not of our religious persuasion; for which he has been treated with"

"To the monthly meeting to be } "James Purinton"
held at Lynn 10 mo 11th" } "Samuel Neal"

Whereupon we appoint Ezra Johnson, Gamaliel W Oliver & William Bassett to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting

I. B. Neal
&
H. Smith
publishd

Lynn Preparative meeting informs that Isaac B. Neal & Ruth H. Smith purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other, & Charles Chase & Samuel P. Johnson are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into said Isaac's clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month

Eleventh Month 1832

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 8th of 11 mo. 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are, for Salem Daniel Buxton & Henry Chase, for Lynn Daniel Johnson, & William Breed, who are present.

The committee in the case of John Gove presented the
J. Gove following report viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have
Reports. visited John Gove & treated with him on the subject of the complaint exhibited against him, which we beleive to be well founded; & although he admits the justice of a part of the charges, he does not appear to be in a situation to make friends sattisfaction. We think any further attention to the subject from us would be useless.

To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 8th Instant.

Daniel Osborne }
Enoch Page } Committee

Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we do
J. Gove therefore with the concurrence of the women, deny him the right
disowned. of membership in our Society; until he shall return & make Friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee is continued to inform him thereof.

The committee to prepare a certificate of removal to Swanzey monthly meeting for William Buffum & family are continued.

M. Breed 2d The committee to inform Moses Breed 2d of the conclusion
informed of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee to have the oversight of Homer Frye's marriage inform they attended, & it was conducted orderly, & the certificate has been handed to the recorder.

The committee to visit Bartlett B. Breed presented the following report viz. "Pursuant to appointment we have treated with Bartlett B Breed on account of the Complaint

Eleventh Month Continued

exhibited against him. He admits the allegations therein contained to be correct, & although he appears to entertain no unpleasant feelings towards Society, he is not disposed to make friends sattisfaction for his deviations, neither does he desire any longer to retain his right of membership. It is therefore our opinion, that any further labour in his case would be unavailing.

To Salem Monthly Meeting
of Friends 8th of 11 mo. 1832

Gamaliel W Oliver
Ezra Johnson
Wm Bassett
Committee

Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we do there-
B.B. Bree fore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right
isowned. of membership in our society, untill he shall return & make
friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may
be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to inform
him thereof.

The committee to make the necessary inquiry
I. B. Neal into Isaac B Neal's clearness on account of marriage inform
at liberty they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein; he is there-
t marry. fore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our
society; & Nathan Breed, & Samuel Boyce are appointed to
have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.

A certificate having been presented here some time
since from Nantucket monthly meeting on behalf of James
E. Macy Egen Macy, & it being ascertained that he has never attended
Certifica our meeting, & that he does not wish to be continued a mem-
eturned. ber of our society, but is about joining another; the Clerk
was directed to return said certificate to that meeting, with
an extract of this minute.

Eleventh Month Continued

M. J. Munroe The women inform they have concluded to disown the
disowned. right of membership in our Society of Mary Jane Munroe
with which this meeting unites.

Extracts from the minutes of our Yearly meeting together
with an epistle, have been received at this time as follows
viz. (See printed copy)

And the clerk is directed
to forward copies of the Epistle to our Preparative meetings.

The business being closed at this time, we conclude,
purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next
month.

Twelfth Month 1832

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held
at Lynn 13th of 12 mo. 1832.

The representatives from our preparative meetings
are for Salem Stephen Nichols & Solomon Varney, for
Lynn Humphrey S Johnson, Charles Chase, & James Breed Jr
who are all present.

The committee to inform John Gove of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

The committee to prepare a certificate of remo-
W. Buffum val to Swanzey Monthly Meeting for William Buffum
+ family & family presented one, which being read & approved
+ certificate the clerk was directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

The committee to inform Bartlett B Breed of the
B. B. Breed Conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been
informed. informed.

The committee to have the oversight of Isaac B.
Neal's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted

From our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, held on Rhode-Island, from the 10th to the 15th inclusive, of the Sixth Month, 1832.

To our several Quarterly, Monthly, and Preparative Meetings.

DEAR FRIENDS,

The reading of the answers to the Queries, received from our several Quarterly Meetings, has introduced our minds into a deep felt exercise in beholding the many and various departures from our profession, therein brought to view. And in particular we have lamented, the sorrowful want of faithfulness in the attendance of our religious Meetings.—When we consider the duty of assembling ourselves together for public worship to Almighty God, in the light of a public acknowledgment of our belief in Him, and in the gracious revelation of his will through his dear Son, our Lord, what vital importance does the performance of this duty assume. In a feeling of Gospel love, and of our responsibility to Him who hath called us to be a people, and in some measure, as we humbly trust, qualified us through his mercy to labor for his cause, let us revive for the serious and solemn consideration of our brethren in religious profession, that awakening language of our blessed Lord, when in that prepared body : "Also I say unto you, whosoever shall confess me before men, him shall the Son of man confess before the angels of God : but he that denieth me before men, shall be denied before the angels of God." We are confirmed in the belief, that as the love of the things of time and the fleeting enjoyments of this world, shall be lessened among us, as, the love of God shall take its place in our hearts, we shall be more concerned faithfully to perform this important duty and in regularly assembling with our brethren, for public worship, and reverently waiting before Him, we shall graciously experience our strength in Him to be renewed, whereby we shall be enabled to withstand the assaults of temptation, and our souls be refreshed with his life giving presence. Let us then, we tenderly exhort, be more and more alive to the great importance of this solemn and interesting duty.

And as the love of God increases and abounds among us, love one unto another will also prevail. Bound together by the sacred ties of Gospel fellowship, our brethren will become exceedingly near to our best feelings, and that heavenly charity which suffereth long and is kind, will become more and more our covering. And O, that Friends every where were duly impressed with the necessity of preserving the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace, and avoiding doubtful disputations, and seeking not to be wise above that which is written, humbly to believe in the all-important truths of the ever blessed Gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, That God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on him, should not perish, but have everlasting life ; that he came into the world, as testified in the Holy Scriptures ; that he went about doing good, and manifesting his Divine power for the good of men ; that he died for our sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us unto God ; that He rose again for our justification, and ever liveth to make intercession for us ; that he is God over all, blessed forever. These all-important truths, as we humbly seek to be established therein, will indeed cement us together, and enable us through faith, to bear unitedly our testimony to the mercy and goodness of our heavenly Father. Thus will true unity and religious fellowship be experienced.

And being thus established, how exceedingly precious will those testimonies which we are called upon to bear become in our view. For, being measurably redeemed from the love of the world, we shall be concerned to seek the adorning of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price, rather than the vain ornaments of the world, and be preserved in the simplicity which becometh the Gospel of Christ.

The giving way to the temptation so abundantly offered by the press, in the present day, to what may be appropriately termed, *light reading*, we have been induced to believe, has had its influence in producing, in many instances, a deviation from the simplicity of our profession, not only in faith, but practice—indisposing the mind for serious reflection, giving it a disrelish for the perusal of more solid and useful works, and secretly, but gradually, undermining that firm reliance upon superior aid, which can alone sustain the mind, in the hour of trial and temptation, and rightly bear it up amid the many vicissitudes of time.

The practice of a daily reading of the Holy Scriptures, with our hearts turned unto Him, who can alone rightly open them to our understanding, and apply them effectually to the heart, has been feelingly brought before us. And as we reverently believe, that these invaluable writings, according to their own testimony, are able to make us wise unto salvation, through faith, which is in Jesus Christ, how exceedingly important that we neglect not this precious means, which in the mercy of God has been vouchsafed to us for our reproof, correction and instruction in righteousness. And we are confirmed in the belief, that as parents and heads of families are concerned daily to call around them the objects of their care, and with prayerful hearts for the divine blessing upon their endeavours, to read to them a portion of the sacred volume, allowing a space for silent introversion of soul to God, a great blessing will be experienced. The truths revealed in the Scriptures will become increasingly interesting and precious in our view, and in that of our children and dependents, and the ever blessed cause of truth and righteousness be furthered and promoted. We therefore recommend and tenderly exhort Friends to this practice, and greatly desire their encouragement therein.

And we fervently desire, that all in profession with us, may be renewedly stirred up to more faithfulness and watchfulness in the cause of Christ, remembering that the time is short, and that we are enjoined to work while the day lasts, for the night cometh wherein no man can work.

Signed on behalf of said Meeting,

ABRAHAM SHEARMAN, JR. *Clerk.*

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, held on Rhode-Island, from the 10th to the 15th, inclusive, of the 6th mo. 1832.

The following Report of the Boarding School Committee was received and read, viz.

TO THE YEARLY MEETING.

The Boarding School Committee report, That they have, during the past year, superintended the Institution, and have cause to believe that it has been conducted in good degree as contemplated by Friends in its establishment. Meetings have been regularly kept up as heretofore. The average number of scholars has been one hundred and sixty-three.

The School has been continued under the care of Enoch and Lydia Breed as Superintendents, with the assistance of Stephen and Hannah Gould. Moses A. Cartland, Pliny Earl, jun. and Jonathan Slocum have been employed as Teachers in the Boys' School, and Deborah Ramsdell, Mary Griscom, and Caroline Cartland, in the Girls'. Moses B. Lockwood and Isabella Horton have also been engaged as assistants, during a part of the year.

The accounts of the Treasurer of the School Fund and of the Superintendent have been received and audited. The state of the Fund is such that the Committee think it safest to propose, that each Monthly Meeting have the privilege of sending one scholar, *six* months, free of expense, and that the price for Scholars generally be continued the same as last year.

The Committee believe it best to propose for the consideration of the Yearly Meeting, the recommending to Friends to endeavour to send their children to the School, as nearly as may be at the following periods, viz. *at the time of our Yearly Meeting*, or in the *first week* of the *second, fifth, eighth* and *eleventh* months. And they would further propose, that children should not be sent for a less time than six months; unless under peculiar circumstances, the consent of the sub-committee be obtained for a less term.

Since our last Report, the department of the School for instruction in the Languages and some of the higher branches of Science has been commenced under the care of Samuel J. Gummere, whose services have been performed acceptably to this Committee. The terms for the admission of Scholars, who are members of our Yearly Meeting, into this department, are One hundred Dollars per annum, exclusive of Books and Stationary, and no Scholar is admitted for a less term than one year, nor until permission shall have been granted for such admission by the sub-committee.

In reviewing the state of the School for the past year, the Committee have cause to acknowledge with thankfulness, that the Family and Scholars have been generally preserved in health.

Signed by appointment, and on behalf of the School Committee, held at Providence, 5th month 4th, 1832, by

MOSES BROWN,
ELIZABETH WING.

[Which Report was referred to the consideration of a Committee composed of Friends from each of the Quarterly Meetings, who at a subsequent sitting reported, that they had carefully considered the propositions relative to a periodical admission of Scholars, and the requisition that children be sent to the School for a term not less than six months, (unless under peculiar circumstances,) and were united in the opinion, that the adoption of these propositions will contribute to the advantage of the School, and not injuriously affect the convenience of parents. —Which being read and considered, the foregoing Report of the Boarding School Committee, was in conformity therewith accepted, and the Clerk was directed to forward copies thereof to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings.]

The subject of the School having again been revived, the Clerk was directed to annex to the Report of the Committee now to be sent down, the following extracts from advices approved by this Meeting, in 1825, viz.

"The School Committee, in the discharge of the important trust confided to them by the Yearly Meeting, have found it necessary from time to time to recur to the great object, which the Yearly Meeting itself, as well as the Friends who have contributed to the funds of the Institution, have had in view in the establishment of the School, and which they think cannot be better expressed than in the language which accompanied the bequest of one of its early friends and most liberal benefactors; that our children and youth "may receive a religious guarded "education, free from the contaminating influence of the vain fashionable world, which leads young minds from the "simplicity of the truth, and that meek and quiet spirit exhibited by our blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, "whom we profess to follow."

It was in accordance with these views, that the Committee were induced, in the 2d month, 1819, soon after the School was in operation, to forward the following minute to the several Monthly Meetings, viz:

"It has appeared necessary, from experience derived since the opening of the Institution, that more general "circumspection should be extended in sending children to the School. And to preserve the order necessary to "carry the object of the Yearly Meeting into more complete effect, it is recommended that each Monthly Meeting "appoint a few suitable friends to whom [seasonable] application may be made by Parents or Guardians of Children who are desirous of placing them at the School; that the Friends so appointed consider it their duty not only "to enjoin that the children come in a plain dress, and in the use of the plain Scripture language, but that they are "of good habits; and that they give a few lines to that import, for the information of the Superintendents and Instructors at the School.

The Committee now feel it to be their duty to recommend to the Monthly Meetings a greater extension of care to these objects, and that the appointment of such Committees be revived by them, to act in connection with the members of this Committee, if any, who may reside within the limits of each Monthly Meeting."

From the Minutes of said Meeting,

ABRAHAM SHEARMAN, jun. Clerk.

Twelfth Month Continued

orderly; and the certificate has been handed to the recorder.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting was rec.d at this time against Edwin Thompson as follows viz. "Edwin Thompson a member of our society has so far disregarded the good order thereof as wholly to leave the attendance of our religious meetings, & tends those of another society; for which he has been treated with"

Compl.t
against
E. Thomp-
son

"To the monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 13th Instant" } "James Purinton" "Nathan Breed" } overseers

whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall, James Breed Jr &, Abner Chase to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next month.

First Month 1833

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Salem 10th of 1 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our Preparative Meetings are for Salem Abijah Chase & Daniel Buxton; for Lynn Daniel Johnson, Nathan Breed & William Bassett who are present.

The queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto from which a summary has been prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Seabrook the 17th Instant; & Enoch Paige, Henry Chase, Nathan Breed, Abijah Chase, & Jonathan Nichols are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives.

First Month Continued

The committee to inform John Gove of the conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued.

E. Thompson continued. The committee to visit Edwin Thompson are continued.

A Complaint from the overseers, by way of Lynn preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Otis Rich

Compl't. against Otis Rich. as follows. viz "Otis Rich a member of our meeting has through inattention to that principle which would have preserved him in innocency so far deviated from our profession as to pay military fines; and has left the attendance of our meetings & attends those of another Society; on which account he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 10th Instant." — } "Estes Newhall"
"Nathan Breed"

Whereupon we appoint Micajah C. Pratt & William Bassett to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

Salem preparative meeting have nominated Abijah

Overseers appointed. Chase, Abner Chase, Jonathan Nichols, Jonathan Buxton Jr & Enoch Paige; & Lynn Preparative Meeting have nominated Estes Newhall, Nathan Breed, James Purinton, & William Bassett for overseers;

which being approved by the meeting they are accordingly appointed to that Station for one year.

The women inform they have concluded to disown the

L. Collins, disowned right of membership in our society of Lydia Collins with which this meeting unites.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Second Month 1833.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 2 mo. 14th 1833.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Paul Buxton & David Osborne; for Lynn Moses Breed & James Purinton who are present.

The time having expired for which the clerks were appointed, Samuel Boyce is proposed for clerk & William H. Chase for assistant; which being approved by the meeting they are accordingly appointed to that service untill the first month next.

Certificate G. Paige. A certificate of removal is recd at this time from Seabrook Monthly Meeting on behalf of Green Paige which is accepted.

R. Estes disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Rebecka Estes daughter of Ezekiel Estes; with which this meeting unites.

M. Houghton recd. The women also inform they have concluded to receive Miriam Houghton as a member of our society with which this meeting unites.

J. Gove informed. The committee to inform Jokes Gove of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he had been informed.

E. T. contd. The committee to visit Edwin Thompson are continued

O. Rich contd. The committee to visit Otis Rich are continued.

A communication from our Quarterly Meeting is received at this time as follows. viz.

"At Salem Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Seabrook 17th of 1 mo. 1833.

This meetings proportion of Yearly Meeting Stock being One Hundred & twelve Dollars & 51 cents our several monthly Meetings are requested to forward their respective proportions to the treasurer of this meeting. Salem Monthly meetings proportion is Forty five Dollars. Signed on behalf of

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said meeting. "William Bassett assistant Clerk."

And our treasurer is directed to pay the sum mentioned to the treasurer of the Quarterly Meeting.

Overseers of the poor. We appoint Samuel Boyce, Jonathan Nichols, Enoch Paige, & Gamaliel W. Oliver to audit & settle the accounts of the treasurer & those of the overseers of the poor, & report the state of the treasury together with a sum of money sufficient to defray the expenses of this meeting the ensuing year, at our next monthly meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Third Month 1833.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 3 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Ichabod Nichols & Abijah Chase; For Lynn James Purinton & John B Chase who are present.

J. & H. C. Backhouse present. Our esteemed Friends Jonathan, & Hannah C. Backhouse from England attended this meeting with a certificate from Darlington monthly meeting Endorsed by Durham Quarterly meeting held 6th of 4 mo. 1830; & a certificate from the meeting of ministers & Elders held in London; all expressive of their sympathy & unity with them in their prospects of religious service in this country.

After their being engaged therein for some time, Jonathan feeling himself released from the service for as

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season returned home for a number of months; after which apprehending the time to have come for a completion of his services, the necessary credentials were again granted him which have at this time been produced & read; their company & Gospel Labours among us have been sattisfactory & edyfying.

E. P. Kirk-
ride; pres.t
Our estemed friend Eliza P Kirkbride companion to said Hannah attended this meeting with a copy of a minute from Philadelphia monthly meeting for the western district, whose company has been acceptable.

A. D. Wing
resent.
Also our Esteemed friend Anna (D Wing) attended this meeting as companion to the aforesaid friends; producing a copy of a minute from Sandwich monthly meeting; whose company has been acceptable.

E. Thompson.
continued.
The committee to visit Edwin Thompson are continued.

tis Rich.
ntinued.
The committee to visit Otis Rich are continued.

Treasurer's
accounts
audited.
The committee to audit the accounts of the treasurer etc. presented the following report. viz. "Pursuant to appointment we have audited the accounts of the treasurer & settled with the overseers of the poor & find that each Preparative meeting has settled its proportion of money with the treasurer according to the directions last year.

We also find that the overseers in accordance with the directions given them in the 5 mo last, have divided equally between our two preparative meetings the unappropriated funds of this meeting which were bearing interest. The demands against the meeting which have accrued the past year, have nearly all been liquidated; & there is now in the treasury a ballance of 111.24cts.

We would recommend that 500 Dolls be raised in addition thereto, to defray the expenses of this meeting the ensuing year."

"Lynn 3 mo. 12th 1833". "Enoch Page" } on behalf
"Saml. W. Oliver" } of the Committee

Which is accepted; And our preparative meetings are requested to pay their respective proportions of the Sum named, to the treasurer of this meeting.

m. H. Chase Salem Preparative meeting informs that Wm.
requests a H Chase requests a certificate to New Bedford monthly
Certificate. meeting to accomplish marriage; whereupon we appoint Enoch Page & Jonathan Nichols to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears prepare one to present to our next monthly meeting for approbation.

Wm. W. Macy. Lynn preparative meeting informs that William
published. W. Macy purposes publishing his intentions of marriage
N. Jenkins. with Miriam Houghton at this time; also that Nathan
published. Jenkins purposes publishing his intentions of marriage
G. Page with Alice B Johnson, & that Green Page purposes
published. publishing his intentions of marriage with Patience Breed before this meeting. they have accordingly appeared & severally declared their intentions of marriage with each other as aforesaid, whereupon we appoint Micajah C Pratt & William Bassett to make the necessary inquiry into said Green Page's clearness on that account & report to our next monthly meeting; & William W Macy & Nathan Jenkins are referred to our next monthly meeting for their answers.

Lynn preparative meeting informs that they are
Insurance desirous of having some insurance against fire upon
on Meeting their meeting house, if it be thought advisable by
House. this meeting; whereupon the overseers are directed to get such a sum insured thereon as may meet the views of that meeting.

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R. B. Dean. The women inform they have concluded to disown the
disowned right of membership in our society of Rebecka B Dean,
with which this meeting unites.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time next month

Fourth Month 1833

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 11th of 4 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem John Buxton Jr & Joshua Buxton; For Lynn William Bassett & Daniel Johnson who are present.

The committee to visit Edwin Thompson presented the following report viz. "Pursuant to appointment we have visited Edwin Thompson on the complaint produced against him; Although he received our visits with a degree of kindness, such however was the state of his mind he was disposed to justify every step he had taken in relation to the complaint & wished not to be longer waited on; we are induced to believe any further labour bestowed by us would be unavailing; which we submit to the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 11th of 4 mo. 1833.

Abner Chase
Ester Newhall

Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we do therefore
E. Thompson with the concurrence of the women, deny him the right of
disowned membership in our Society until he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to

Fourth Month Continued.

inform him thereof.—

The committee to prepare a certificate to New
W. H. Chase. Bedford monthly meeting for William H. Chase to ac
Certificate. complish marriage, presented one which being read &
approved the Clerk was directed to sign it on behalf
of the meeting.—

The committee to make the necessary inquiry into
G. Page. Green Pages clearness on account of marriage inform
at liberty they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein;
to marry. he is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the
same in the order of our society; & Micajah C. Pratt
& Nathan Breed are appointed to have the oversight
thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.—

W. W. Macy William W. Macy & Nathan Jenkins who published
& N. Jenkins, their intentions of marriage at our last monthly meeting;
at liberty are now left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order
to marry. of our Society; Whereupon we appoint Samuel Neal &
Daniel Johnson to have the oversight of the marriage
of said William; & Theophilus Breed & Gamaliel W.
Oliver to have the oversight of said Nathan's marriage,
& report severally at our next monthly meeting.—

Otis Rich. The committee to visit Otis Rich inform they have
continued. attended to their appointment, but having no report to make
at this time are continued.—

A complaint from the Overseers by way of Salem
Complaint Preparative meeting was recd. at this time against
against Daniel Varney as follows viz.— "Daniel Varney a
D. Varney member of this meeting has deviated from the good
order of our society by connecting himself in marriage, with
a person not in membership with us; having some time
previous left the attendance of our meetings for which he has
been spoken to.—

"Jonathan Nichols
"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 11th Instant"
"Abijah Chase"
"Overseers"

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Whereupon we appoint Ichabod Nichols & David Osborne to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

W. E. Hacker requests Certificate. Salem preparative meeting informs that William E. Hacker requests a certificate of removal for himself & family to Philadelphia monthly meeting for the Southern district; whereupon we appoint William H Chase & Jonathan Nichols to unite with the women in preparing one & present it to our next monthly meeting for approbation.

Complaint against J. A. Breed. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is rec^d at this time against James A. Breed as follows viz. James Albert Breed a member of our monthly meeting has left the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another society; he has likewise departed from our principles in joining the militia in their trainings; on which account he has been treated with.

"Estes Newhall"
"Nathan Breed" Overseers"

whereupon we appoint Micajah C Pratt & Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

M. Osborne, Certificate accepted. A certificate of removal from Weare monthly meeting is rec^d at this time on behalf of Moses Osborne; which is accepted.

A communication from Durham Monthly Meeting was rec^d at this time as follows viz.

"To Salem monthly meeting of Friends."

"A complaint from your meeting having been received against Franklin Clough a member of our meeting; we have treated with him without the desired effect;

F. Clough dis. After consideration thereon we conclude to disown indemnity with him as a member, having the unity of the women's meeting therein; & the Clerk is directed to give

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Salem monthly meeting the above information.
"From the minutes of (Durham Monthly) meeting of Friends held 22nd of 1 mo. 1833.
"Lemuel Jones Clk"

A communication from Nantucket monthly meeting is recd. at this time as follows viz
"At (Nantucket monthly meeting) held 27th of 12th mo. 1832.

Communication respectg J. E. Macy. A communication being received from Salem monthly meeting, accompanying the certificate forwarded them by this meeting on behalf of James Egen Macy - it is concluded to request that meeting to extend such care in the case on our account as way may open for, & inform us the result.

The Clerk was directed to forward to that monthly meeting a copy of the above minute.

Extracted from the minutes of the meeting aforesaid."
"Charles G. Stubbs Clerk"

Whereupon we appoint Nathan Breed & Micajah C. Pratt to visit & treat with him on that account & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next month.

Fifth Month 1833.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9th of 5 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are

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for Salem Henry Chase & Enoch Paige, for Lynn Daniel Johnson, William Breed & Micajah C Pratt who are all present

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly meeting to be held at Salem the 23d. Instant, & Abijah Chase, James Purinton, Theophilus Breed, Jonathan Nichols, & Nathan Breed are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives.

D. Clough. certificate. A certificate of removal from Durham monthly meeting was recd. at this time on behalf of David Clough which is accepted

The committee to inform Edwin Thompson of the Conclusion of this meeting in his case are continued

M. A. Carleton restored. The women inform they have concluded to restore Mary Ann Carleton to membership in our society with which this meeting unites

The committees to have the oversight of the marriages of Green Paige, William W. Macy & Nathan Jenkins, severally report that they attended, & they were conducted orderly; & the necessary care had been taken with respect to the certificates

O. Rich. Continued. The committee to visit Otis Rich are continued

The committee to visit Daniel Varney presented the following report viz. "To Salem Monthly Meeting held at Lynn 5mo. 9th 1833. Agreeable to appointment we have visited Daniel Varney on account of the complaint against him; He does not appear to be in a suitable state of mind to make friends satisfaction therefor, & appears insensible of any loss thereby."

"Ichabod Nichols"
"David Osborne"

which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with

Fifth Month Continued

[illegible] the concurrence of the women deny him the right of disowned. membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information

M. Osborne The women inform they have concluded to disown disowned. the right of membership in our Society of Mary Osborne (late Shove) with which this meeting unites.

Certificate The committee to prepare a certificate of removal [illegible] to Philadelphia monthly meeting for Wm E. Hacker & approved. family presented one, which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

J. A. Breed The committee in the case of James A Breed are continued. continued

J. E. Macy. The committee in the case of James Egen Macy continued. inform they have attended to it; but having no report to make at this time, they are continued.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn on the second Fourth day in next month.

Sixth Month 1833.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 12th of 6 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Solomon Varney & Jonathan Nichols; For Lynn Theophilis Breed & Benjamin N Breed who are all present.

E. Thompson. The committee to inform Edwin Thompson of the informed. conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

Sixth Month Continued

The committee to visit Otis Rich presented the following report viz "Pursuant to appointment, we have visited & treated with Otis Rich. He admits the complaint to be correct, but is not in a state of mind to make Friends sattisfaction for his deviations, neither does he manifest any disposition to conduct in future in a manner more conformable to the order of our Society. It is our opinion that any further labour would be unavailing."

"M. C. Pratt }
"Wm Bassett" } "Committee"

"To Salem monthly meeting of Friends to be held at Lynn 12th of 6 mo. 1833."

O. Rich. disowned. Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to inform him thereof.

D. Varney. informed. The committee to inform Daniel Varney of the conclusion of this meeting in his case, report he has been informed.

J. H. Breed continued. The committee in the case of James H. Breed, not being prepared to report at this time are continued.

J. E. Macy. continued. The committee in the case of James Egen Macy are continued.

J. Oliver & family certificate. A certificate of removal from Falmouth monthly meeting is recd at this time on behalf of James Oliver & family which is accepted.

compl.t against I. Hill. A communication from Berwick monthly meeting is recd at this time as follows viz, "To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends. The following complaint was recd from the overseers through the preparative meeting against Isaiah Hill by which it appears he is now residing within the limits of Salem monthly meeting; This meeting after considering

Sixth Month Continued

the subject is united in requesting the assistance of that meeting in the case, & the clerk is directed to forward to Salem monthly meeting a copy of this minute together with the complaint.

From the minutes of Berwick Monthly Meeting held at North Berwick 24th of 5 mo. 1833.

By Benajah Buffum Clerk

Whereupon we appoint Theophilus Breed, Gamaliel W. Oliver & James Purinton to visit & treat with him on account thereof, & report to our next monthly meeting

We are informed that the representatives to our last Quarterly meeting all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next month.

Seventh Month 1833.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Salem 11th of 7 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Stephen Nichols & Daniel Osborne; for Lynn James Purinton & Jonathan Boyce who are present.

J. Hussey Jr. certificate accepted. A certificate of removal from Weare Monthly Meeting is recd. at this time on behalf of Joseph Hussey Jr. & family which is accepted.

H. Alley disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Hannah Alley, with which this meeting unites.

Otis Rich. informed. The committee to inform Otis Rich of the conclusion of this meeting in his case, report he has been informed.

The committee to visit James Egen Macy are continued.

Seventh Month Continued

The committee in the case of James A. Breed presented the following report, viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have visited & treated with James A. Breed; and although he admits the complaint to be correct, yet he does not manifest any disposition to conduct more conformably to the order of our society; neither does he wish to be retained in membership. We think there is no encouragement for further labour with him."

"To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Salem 7mo. 11. 1833" } "Daniel Johnson" "Micajah C. Pratt" } "Committee"

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends satisfaction for his outgoings, which we desire he may be favoured to do; and the committee are continued to give him the information.

A. Breed
isowned

I. Hill
ntinued

The committee to visit Isaiah Hill inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn preparative meeting is recd. at this time against Theophalis N. Breed as follows viz.

T. N. Breed
Compt.

"Theophalis N. Breed a member of our society, has so far deviated from the good order thereof, as to marry a woman who is not in membership with us; for which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 11th Instant."

"James Purinton" } "Nathan Breed" } "Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Jonathan Boyce & Estes Newhall to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The women inform they have concluded to disown

Seventh Month Continued

L. Austin isowned the right of membership in our society of Lydia Austin, with which this meeting unites.

The last report of the yearly meeting Boarding School committee is rec^d at this time as follows viz —

See printed copy)

The business being closed at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next month —

Eighth Month 1833.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 8th of 8mo. 1833.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Wm H. Chase for Lynn Wm Bassett & James Purinton who are present.

Certificate R. Brackett & amily. A certificate of removal from China Monthly Meeting, is received at this time on behalf of Reuben Brackett & family which is accepted.

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers from our preparative meetings, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 15th Instant. And Abner Chase, Jonathan Boyce, Jacob Chase, Jonathan Nichols & James Breed Jr are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives.

J. E. Macy Continued The committee to visit James Egen Macy inform they have attended to the case but having no report to make at this time are continued.

J. A. Breed informed The committee to inform James A. Breed of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, held on Rhode-Island,--Sixth Month, 1833.

The Annual Report of the Boarding School Committee was laid before the Meeting, and after a free discussion of its contents, the propositions therein submitted for consideration, were agreed to, and the Report accepted; and the Clerk was directed to forward copies thereof to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings.

From the Minutes of said Meeting,
ABRAHAM SHEARMAN, jun. *Clerk.*

TO THE YEARLY MEETING,
To be held on Rhode-Island in the Sixth Month next.

The Boarding School Committee Report, That they have during the past year, given attention to the various concerns of the Institution, and that they have been conducted, in good degree to their satisfaction. Meetings have been regularly kept up, and harmony has been preserved.

The average number of Scholars during the year, has been one hundred and seventy-two.—The School is continued under the immediate care of Enoch and Lydia Breed, as Superintendents, in which capacity they are assisted by Stephen and Hannah Gould —Moses A. Cartland, Pliny Earle, jun. and Jonathan Slocum, are employed as Teachers in the Boys' School; and Deborah Ramsdell, Mary H. Griscom, Caroline Cartland, and Martha Barker, in the Girls'.—The latter of whom, for six months, rendered gratuitous service to the Institution.—Samuel J. Gummere continues to have charge of the department for Languages, &c.

It having long been believed by the Committee, that the School might be improved, and its advantages to the Children greatly enhanced, by having some person employed to superintend its literary concerns, who, by his experience in the business of teaching, and by his acquirements, would be qualified to render advice to the Teachers, to examine the Scholars in their several studies, and to extend an immediate supervisory care over every department of the School.—With this belief, in the 12th month last, our friend John Griscom, from New-York, was introduced into the Institution, and the services he has rendered in the manner above specified. and by lecturing on different subjects, have been satisfactory to us, and we believe have tended in various ways to the essential improvement of the Scholars.

By settling the accounts, it appears that at the present prices for board and tuition, the income will not meet the expenditures of the School.—The Committee. after maturely weighing the subject, have concluded to propose to the Yearly Meeting; that after the first of eighth month next, members of Society, of this Yearly Meeting, be received for fifteen dollars per quarter; that those who are not members of Society, but who have one or both parents members, be received for twenty-two and a half dollars per quarter; and should any who are not thus connected with Friends be received, that the price be thirty dollars per quarter; that to those who are admitted into the School for Languages, &c. and that to members of other Yearly Meetings, the price be continued as heretofore;—And that the privilege of sending one child, six months, free of expense, be extended to each Monthly Meeting, as last year. Although by this arrangement, the expense to parents who place their children in this Institution will be a little augmented, still the Committee have confidence in believing that there will be ample remuneration in the increased advantages the School now presents for the improvement of the Scholars.

In the seventh month of last year, in consequence of the appearance of the Cholera in our country, and the effect produced upon the minds of the children by the approach of this fearful malady, it was deemed most prudent, under the advisement of the Meeting for Sufferings, to vacate the School for a season. It was not considered best to re-assemble the scholars until the tenth month, when the School was again opened, and those who had left generally returned.

Although during the past year the visitations of sickness and death have been many in our country, and we have not wholly escaped, yet we feel bound thankfully to commemorate the preservation that has been extended to us by Him, from whom are all our sure mercies.

Signed by direction, and on behalf of the Committee, by
WILLIAM JENKINS, *Clerk.*

Yearly Meeting Boarding School,
Providence, 5th mo. 3d, 1833.

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been informed.

I. Hill's ct. The committee to visit Isaiah Hill are continued.

T. N. Breed continued. The committee to visit Theophilis N. Breed, inform they have paid attention to the case, but not being ready to report at this time they are continued.

Compl.t against W. Chase. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Warren Chase as follows viz. "Warren Chase a member of our society, has departed from the good order thereof, in marrying a woman who is not of our religious persuasion; for which he has been treated with."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn
8th of 8 mo. 1833" "James Purinton" }
"Nathan Breed } overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson & Estes Newhall to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

A. Chase appointed Elder. Information is at this time received from our meeting of ministers & held on the 7th Instant, that they are united in proposing Abner Chase for the Station of an Elder; which after deliberation thereon, is united with by this meeting, & he is accordingly appointed to that Station; And the clerk is directed to give the necessary information.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Ninth Month 1833

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 9mo. 12th. 1833.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem David Osborne, & Ichabod Nichols: For Lynn John B. Chase, & Walter Phillips who are present.

I. E. Macy.
Continued.
The committee in the case of James Egen Macy are continued.

I. Hill.
continued.
The committee to visit Isaiah Hill inform they have paid attention to the case, but not being prepared to report at this time they are continued.

T. N. Breed.
Continued.
The committee in the case of Theophalis N. Breed are continued.

W. Chase
continued.
The committee to visit Warren Chase inform they have paid attention to the case, but not being prepared to report at this time they are continued.

Complaint
against
A. A. Breed.
A Complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is recd. at this time against Amos A. Breed as follows viz. "Amos A. Breed a member of our society has wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another society; for which he has been treated with;"

"To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn 9mo. 12th. 1833."

"Estes Newhall" }
"Nathan Breed" } "Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Nathaniel Walden & Ezra Johnson, to visit & treat with him on account thereof, & report to our next monthly meeting.

Extracts from
Yearly & Quarterly
Meetings
minutes.
Extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly & Quarterly Meetings are received at this time as follows. viz.

"Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, Sixth Month, 1833.

A concern for the more guarded & religious education of the children

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of Friends, & for the establishment of Libraries of Friends' Books, in the several monthly meetings, having been revived in this meeting, & claimed its consideration a lively interest was felt in regard to these subjects.

Friends desired to establish Libraries. &c.

The attention of Friends was earnestly desired to the concern of establishing, in the several monthly meetings, one or more libraries of the standard works of our society, that Friends may at all times have access thereto, to the end that the consistency, truth & harmony, of our christian principles being known, the minds of Friends may become more & more established in them, & the unity of faith & doctrine which it so much becomes us to inculcate may more & more abound.

The provisions of our discipline with respect to education, & schools for the children of Friends were recommended to be revived in our subordinate meetings, & put in practise wherever friends's circumstances will allow.

And the clerk was directed to forward copies of this minute to our several Quarterly & Monthly meetings.

It was recommended that all certificates of removal, issued by our Monthly Meetings, be signed by the clerks of both the men's & women's meetings. And that this conclusion be entered in our books of discipline.

Which the clerks were directed to forward as above".

"From the minutes of the Yearly Meeting"

"Abraham Shearman Jr.
Clerk".

And the clerks were directed to see that the advice therein contained respecting certificates, be inserted in our books of discipline.

"At Salem Quarterly Meeting of Friends held

Ninth Month Continued

at Lynn 15th of 8 mo. 1833 — It appears, by a minute of our last Yearly meeting that this meeting's proportion of Yearly Meeting's Stock is one Hundred & Twelve Dollars & Fifty cts; which our several Monthly Meetings are requested to forward in the usual proportions to the Treasurer of this meeting" —

"Salem Monthly Meeting's proportion is Forty Five Dollars" —

"Signed on behalf of said Meeting" —
"Wm Bassett"
Clk. —

And our Treasurer is accordingly directed to pay our proportion to the Quarterly Meeting's Treasurer —

Committee
n Schools
ibraries.

The recommendations in the foregoing extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting for establishing Schools & Libraries being spread before us, this meeting after deliberation thereon appoints William Bassett; William H Chase, Nathan Breed; Daniel Johnson; Estes Newhall; Abner Chase; Abijah Chase; Jonathan Nichols; Samuel Boyce, Gamaliel W Oliver; John B. Chase Ezra Johnson & Enoch Paige, to unite with the women in taking the subject into consideration, & report their judgment upon the practicability & expediency thereof, at our next monthly Meeting —

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended —

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next month —

Tenth Month 1833.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Salem 10th of 10 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our Preparative Meetings are for Salem Abner Chase & Stephen Nichols; for Lynn Charles Chase, James Purinton, & John Gove who are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Weare the 17th Instant; & Estes Newhall, James Purinton, Abijah Chase, William Breed, Jonathan Nichols, & Enoch Paige, are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives.

J. E. Macy
Continued

The committee in the case of James Egen Macy are continued.

I. Hill. Contd. The committee to visit Isaiah Hill are continued.

T. N. Breed
Continued

The committee in the case of Theophilus N. Breed inform they have paid attention to their appointment, but not being prepared to report at this time they are continued.

W. Chase. Contd. The committee to visit Warren Chase are continued.

The committee to visit Amos A. Breed presented the following report viz., "To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem the 10th Instant. Agreeable to appointment we have visited Amos A. Breed on the complaint exhibited against him; he acknowledges the complaint to be correct and although he appears pleasant towards friends yet he is best sattisfied with the meeting he attends:"

"Nathl. Walden"
"Ezra Johnson"

A. A. Breed
disowne.

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society; untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we

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desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information

Report on Schools and Libraries.

The committee on the subject of Schools & Libraries presented the following report viz "Agreeably to appointment we have taken the subject of establishing Schools & Libraries into consideration, & after deliberation thereon we have concluded to recommend to the Monthly Meeting, that a committee be appointed to advise with & assist friends in the establishment of Schools, agreeable to the advice in discipline relating thereto; We have also concluded to recommend to the Monthly meeting, that measures be taken to establish a library in each preparative meeting, of the Standard works & approved writings of our Society, together with such other works as friends may think proper

To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Salem 10th of 10 mo. 1833

Signed on behalf of the Committee
Samuel Boyce
Abijah Chase
Avis Keene

Which is accepted;

And the committee are continued, & desired to unite with a committee from the women, & advise with, & encourage friends in the establishment & regulations of Schools, & take the general supervision thereof for one year; Said Committee are also requested to open subscriptions among our members & if suitable encouragement be obtained to proceed & establish a library in each of our preparative meetings of such works as are pointed out in the report; & they are desired to report their doings at a future meeting

Tenth Month Continued

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting is rec.d at this time against David Austin as follows viz

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends

Compl.t against D. Austin — David Austin a member of our Society, has for a long time, almost wholly neglected the attendance of our religious meetings and attends those of another society.

He has also manifested a disregard of our testimonies in relation to war by paying fines for the non-performance of military service. He has been treated with on account of these deviations"

"Lynn 10 mo. 2. 1833"

"Estes Newhall"
"William Bassett"
"Nathan Breed" } "overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Ichabod Nichols & Daniel Johnson to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Eleventh Month 1833.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 11 mo. 1833.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Jonathan Buxton jr. & Jonathan Nichols; for Lynn Gamaliel W. Oliver, David Clough & Estes Newhall who are present.

J. E. Macy. Continued — The committee in the case of James Egen Macy are continued.

I. Hill. Continued. — The committee to visit Isaiah Hill are continued.

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Eleventh Month Continued

The committee in the case of Theophilus N. Breed presented the following report, viz. "We have had several interviews with Theophilus N. Breed on account of the complaint against him; he manifests an attachment to our principles & discipline, & expressed a desire that friends would pass by his offence & continue him in membership, in which he appeared to us to be sincere, & has handed us the enclosed communication.

To the Monthly Meeting 11mo. 14th 1833.

Estes Newhall }
Jonathan Boyce } Committee

Also the acknowledgment from him; both of which
T. N. Breed are accepted; & he accordingly restored to the priveledges
restored. of our society; the women concurring herein; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

W. Chase. The committee in the case of Warren Chase
Continued. are continued.

A. A. Breed. The committee to inform Amos A. Breed of
informed. the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

D. Austin. The committee in the case of David Austin
ontinued. are continued.

Osborne. Lynn Preparative Meeting informs that John
published. Osborn purposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Mercy Osborne before this meeting; Also that
S. Buffum Samuel Buffum & Elizabeth Buxton purpose pub-
published. lishing their intentions of marriage with each other at this time. Whereupon we appoint Estes Newhall & Jacob Chase to make the necessary inquiry into the clearness of John Osborne; & William Bassett & Samuel Boyce to make the necessary inquiry into Samuel Buffum's Clearness; & report sev-

Eleventh Month Continued

erally at our next monthly Meeting

The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Ruthy Buffum with which this meeting unites

R. Buffum disowned.

Lynn Preparative meeting informs that Samuel P. Johnson requests a certificate to Pembroke Monthly Meeting to accomplish marriage; Whereupon we appoint Micajah C. Pratt & William Bassett to make the necessary inquiry & if no obstruction appears, prepare one & present to our next monthly Meeting for approbation

S.P. Johnson requests certificate.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended Except one; for whose absence a sattisfactory reason is assigned.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month

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Twelfth Month 1833.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 12th of 12 mo 1833

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem, John Buxton Jr & David Osborn; For Lynn James Breed Jr & Ezra Johnson who are present

The committee in the case of James Egen Macy are continued

J.E. Macy Continued

The committee to visit Isaiah Hill inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time they are continued.

I. Hill Continued

The committee to inform Theophilus N. Breed of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report

T. N. Breed

informed. he has been informed

The committee to visit Warren Chase inform
W. Chase. they have paid attention to their appointment but
Continued. having no report to make at this time they are continued

Austin. The committee in the case of David Austin
Continued. are continued

The committee to make the necessary inquiry
borne into John Osborn's Clearness on account of marriage
liberty inform they find nothing to obstruct his proceedings
marry therein; He is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our society; & Enoch Paige & William H. Chase are appointed to have the oversight thereof & report to our next monthly Meeting

The committee to make the necessary inquiry
Buffum into Samuel Buffum's Clearness on account of mar-
moved riage are not requested to report; Samuel having
by death been since our last monthly Meeting providentially removed by Death

The committee to prepare a certificate to for-
ward to Pembroke Monthly Meeting for Samuel P.
cate Johnson to accomplish Marriage, presented one, which being read & approved the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is rec^d at this time against Benjamin Breed Jr as follows. viz

ed "Benjamin Breed Jr. a member of our society,
against some years since, removed to Somersworth. N. H. &
B. Breed Jr. we are informed that not long after this removal he became embarassed & failed in this business, & has not yet adjusted his affairs to satisfaction — Also that he has very much neglected the attendance of our

Twelfth Month Continued

religious meetings, & has frequently attended those of other Societies.

To Salem Monthly Meeting }
Lynn 12 mo. 4th 1833 }

Estes Newhall }
Wm Bassett }
Nathan Breed } Overseers

And the Clerk is directed to forward the same to (Dover Monthly Meeting) with an Extract of this minute & request their care in the case.

Compl.t against H. Silsbee jr. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is received at this time against Henry Silsbee jr as follows viz, "Henry Silsbee Junr a member of this meeting has connected himself in marriage, out of the order of our society, with one who is not in membership with us - for which he has been treated with.

To Salem Monthly Meeting }
Lynn 12 Mo. 4th 1833 }

Nathan Breed }
Wm Bassett }
Overseers.

Whereupon we appoint James Purinton & Samuel Neal to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

F. Buxton disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Samson F. Buxton with which this meeting unites.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again at Salem at the usual time in next month.

First Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends
held at Salem 1 mo. 9th 1834.

The representatives from our Preparative mee-
tings are; for Salem, Ichabod Nichols, & Abner
Chase; for Lynn, Estes Newhall, James Purinton,
& William Bassett; who are all present.

The time having expired for which the Clerks
Clerks were appointed, Samuel Boyce is proposed for Clerk
appointed & William H. Chase for assistant; which being
approved by the meeting, they are accordingly ap-
pointed to that service for one year.

The Queries have been read at this time, with
the required answers thereto, from which a summary is
prepared for the quarterly meeting to be held at Salem
the 16th Instant; & Daniel Osborn, Daniel Johnson,
James Oliver, & James Purinton & Estes Newhall are
appointed to attend said meeting as representatives.

T. Priesly. A certificate of removal is recd at this time from
Certificate Sandwich (N. H.) monthly meeting on behalf of Timo-
accepted. thy Priesly; which is accepted.

J. E. Mary. The committee in the case of James Egen & Mary
Continued. are continued.

The committee to visit Isaiah Hill inform they
I. Hill. have paid attention to the case, but having no report
continued. to make at this time, the are continued.

W. Chase The committee to visit Warren Chase are con-
Continued. tinued.

The committee in the case of David Austin
presented the following report viz- "Agreeably to
appointment we have visited David Austin & treated
with him on the subject of the complaint brought
against him, & although he appears sensible of his
departure from the principles & order of our Society,

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he manifests no disposition to make sattisfaction therefor or to be longer waited on.

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Salem 9th of 1 mo. 1834" } "Daniel Johnson" "Ichabod Nichols Jr"

Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we
.Austin; do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny
disowned; him the right of membership in our society untill
he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for
his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

The committee to have the oversight of John Osborn's marriage inform they attended & it was conducted orderly; & the necessary care has been taken respecting the certificate.

The committee to visit Henry Silsbee Jr inform
H. Silsbee they have paid attention to the case, but having no re-
continued. port to make at this time they are continued.

A complaint from the overseers by way of
Compl.t Lynn Preparative meeting was rec.d at this time
against against Thomas F. Newhall as follows viz. "Thomas F.
T. F. N. Newhall a member of this meeting has connected him-
self in marriage out of the order of our society with a sister of his former wife — on which account he has been treated with."

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends."
"Lynn 1 Mo. 1st. 1834"

"Nathan Breed"
"William Bassett"
"Overseers".

Whereupon we appoint Jonathan Nichols, James Purinton & Charles Chase, to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

First Month Continued.

Compl.t against G. W. Keene — Also a complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting is rec.d at this time against George W. Keene as follows, viz. "George W. Keene a member of our society has connected himself in marriage out of the order thereof, with one who is also a member — He has been treated with therefor"

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends
Lynn 1 mo. 1st. 1834"

"James Purinton"
"William Bassett"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Abijah Chase, Micajah C. Pratt & James Oliver to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

A communication from Berwick Monthly Meeting respecting Abner Hill is rec.d at this time as follows — viz —

"To Salem Monthly Meeting.

Communica-tion resp.g A. Hill. — The following complaint is received against Abner Hill by which it appears he is now residing within the limits of Salem Monthly Meeting. This meeting concludes to request the assistance of that meeting in the case & the clerk is directed to forward to Salem Monthly meeting a copy of this minute together with the complaint.

From the minutes of Berwick Monthly Meeting held at North Berwick 27th of 12 mo. 1833."

"Benajah Buffum Clerk"

"To Berwick Monthly Meeting"

A. Hill, Compl.t — "It appears that Abner Hill a member of this meeting (who has for a considerable time been residing within the limits of Salem Monthly Meeting) has much neglected the attendance of our religious meetings and also married out of the order of Friends to a woman not a member of our religious Society — which is sub-

First Month Continued

mitted ~ South Berwick 12 mo. 26th 1833 ~"

"Joshua Meader"
"William Hill" } "Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Nathaniel Walden & Nathan Breed to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly Meeting ~

Overseers appointed — Salem Preparative meeting has nominated Jonathan Nichols, Abijah Chase, Jonathan Buxton Jr & Abner Chase & Enoch Paige; And Lynn Preparative meeting has nominated James Purinton, William Bassett, Estes Newhall, Nathan Breed, & William Breed for the station of overseers; Which being approved by the meeting they are accordingly appointed to that Service for one year ~

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month ~

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At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 2 mo 1834 ~

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase, & Ichabod Nichols; For Lynn Charles Chase, & Ezra Johnson who are present ~

M. H. Beedee Certificate accepted — A certificate of removal is recd at this time from Farnsburgh Monthly Meeting, on behalf of Moses H. Beedee & family; which is accepted ~

The committee in the case of James Egen Macy presented the following report. viz ~

"Agreeably to appointment we have visited James E. Macy, & although he manifests a regard for our Society & for its principles, yet he does not appear

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Report respecting J. E. Macy. disposed to make friends satisfaction for his departure, nor to live any more conformable to the principles of Friends."

"To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn 13th of 2mo. 1834" } "Micajah C. Pratt } Nathan Breed }
Committee"

And the Clerk is directed to forward the same to Nantucket Monthly Meeting with an extract of this minute.

Report of Committee in case of I. Hill. The committee in the case of Isaiah Hill presented the following report, viz; "Agreeably to appointment we have treated with Isaiah Hill on account of the complaint against him, & have advised with him as way opened, & after hearing his views on the subject it appeared to us that he had a sincere attachment to friends & the order of our society, & seems desirous to conduct conformable thereto; he has put a communication into our hands which we herewith forward to the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn the 13th Instant."

"Theophilus Breed
Gamaliel W. Oliver
James Purinton
Committee"

Together with the acknowledgement from him; & the clerk is directed to forward the same to Berwick monthly meeting with an Extract of this minute.

W. Chase Continued. The committee in the case of Warren Chase are continued.

D. Austin informed. The committee to inform David Austin of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

H. S. Jr continued. The committee to visit Henry Silsbee Jr inform they have paid attention to the case but having no report to make at this time they are continued.

T. F. Newhall. The committee to visit Thomas F. Newhall are
Continued. continued.

The committee to visit George W Keene are continued.

Report in The committee to visit Abner Hill presented
case of the following report viz, "Agreeable to appointment
A. Hill. we have visited Abner Hill; he admits the complaint to be true & having concluded to attend another meeting, does not wish to remain a member of our society or to make friends any satisfaction for his outgoings. To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 2 mo. 13th 1834."

"Nath^l Walden
Nathan Breed
Committee"

And the Clerk was directed to forward the same to Berwick Monthly Meeting with an Extract of this minute.

The following communication was rec^d. from Salem Preparative Meeting for record.

Salem Preparative meeting 2 mo. 6th 1834.
"The committee appointed to examine the building committee's accounts made a report at this time, by
Amount which it appears the whole amount expended, for
pd.
for new purchase of land, moving sheds & old Meeting House
[illegible] & erecting new Meeting House & fences is – $4819.55
&c. &c.
The treasurer of the Preparative Meeting has paid all the bills to this amount, & it is believed that all the bills are paid; the accounts show that he has collected all the outstanding demands held by the Preparative Meeting & applied the same towards building the new Meeting House";

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	$ cts
Amount of which is	1804.82
Received of Subscribers	1502.37
Hired of the Trustees of Allice Needham's legacy	1479.22
Due the Treasurer	33.14
	4819.55

Which information the Clerk is requested to forward to the monthly meeting for record –
From the minutes of the Meeting
Wm H Chase Clerk

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended –

We appoint William H. Chase, James Oliver, Samuel Boyce, Jonathan Nichols, & Micajah E. Pratt to audit & settle the accounts of the Treasurer & those of the overseers of the Poor, & propose a sum of money sufficient to meet the expenses of this meeting the ensuing year –

S. Page minute

Our Esteemed Friend Suphronia Page spread before this meeting a prospect she had of attending the Monthly Meetings of Dover, & Berwick, & one or two meetings within the limits of Falmouth; which claiming the solid consideration of this meeting was united with; she being a minister in unity, a copy of a minute was furnished her –

The business being closed at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next Month –

Third Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 3mo. 1834.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem Solomon Varney & Daniel Osborne; for Lynn James Breed Jr. & Daniel Breed who are present.

A. Chase continued. The committee in the case of Aaron Chase are continued.

H. Silsbee Jr. continued. The committee in the case of Henry Silsbee Jr are continued.

T. F. Newhall continued. The committee in the case of Thomas F. Newhall are continued.

G. W. K. continued. The committee to visit George W Keene inform they have paid attention to the case, but having no report to make at this time they are continued.

Treasurer accounts &c. settled. The committee to audit & settle the accounts of the treasurer & overseers of the poor, presented the following report viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have audited & settled the accounts of the Treasurer & those of the overseers of the Poor, & find that each preparative meeting has paid its proportion as directed last year. There is now a ballance in the Treasury of 143$.22cts which is nearly all appropriated to cancel demands remaining unsettled for last year. We would recommend that 500 Dollars be raised to defray the expenses of the meeting for the year ensuing."

"To the monthly meeting to be held at Lynn 3mo. 13th 1834." "Signed on behalf of the committee

"James Oliver"
"Jonathan Nichols"

which is accepted; and our preparative meetings are requested to pay their proportions of the sum named to the Treasurer of this meeting.

Third Month Continued

A proposition having been made at this time by Salem Friends for a new apportionment, we appoint Philip Chase, Jonathan Nichols, Estes Newhall Daniel Johnson, Nathan Breed, Enoch Page, & Samuel Boyce to take the subject into consideration, & report their views upon the expediency thereof at a future meeting.

The following communication was recd at this time respecting Isaiah & Abner Hill viz—

"At Berwick Monthly Meeting of Friends held at North Berwick 25th of 2 mo. 1834.

I. Hill restored. The following extract of a minute was received from Salem Monthly Meeting; also the acknowledgment of Isaiah Hill; which was accepted & he restored to the priveledges of society; & the clerk was directed to furnish Salem Monthly Meeting with a copy of this Minute.

A. Hill disownd. The following extract of a minute in the case of Abner Hill is received from Salem Monthly Meeting, together with the report of the committee which is accepted; and this meeting after deliberating thereon is united in disowning him; he is accordingly with the concurrence of the women's Meeting, disowned from membership with us; & the clerk is directed to forward to Salem Monthly Meeting an extract of this minute."

"Extracted from the Minutes"

"Benajah Buffum Clerk"

And the committees appointed in their respective cases are requested severally to inform them of the conclusion of that Meeting.

We appoint Nathan Breed, Abijah Chase, Estes

Newhall, Jonathan Nichols, Charles Chase & Enoch Paige as overseers of the poor for one year.

This meeting being informed by the recorder that Some Friends have been deficient in giving him him notice of births & deaths in their families, we appoint William H. Chase, Daniel Osborne, Solomon Varney, James S. Boyce, Ezra Johnson, Samuel Neal & William S. Boyce to make inquiry throughout our monthly meeting, & make a correct list of all the births & deaths that have occurred among us since the appointment of the last committee for that purpose & hand them to the recorder.

Committe to make a list of births & deaths.

Said committee are also requested to make out a correct list of all the members of our monthly meeting, together with the respective families & parts of families, with the number of persons in each, & the names of all annexed, & furnish this meeting with a copy thereof.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next month.

Fourth Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held
at Salem 10th of 4 mo. 1834

The representatives from our prepara-
tive meetings are for Salem Jonathan Nichols & Enoch
Paige; for Lynn, Ezra Johnson, James Purinton, & Estes
Newhall; who are present

Certificate A certificate of removal from Berwick
on behalf Monthly Meeting is recd. at this time on behalf of
I. Hill. Isaiah Hill, which is accepted

W. Chase The committee in the case of Warren Chase
continued. are continued

H. Silsbee jr. The committee in the case of Henry Silsbee jr
continued. are continued

T. F. Newhall. The committee in the case of Thomas F. Newhall
continued. are continued

G. W. Keene The committee in the case of George W. Keene
continued. are continued

The committee on the subject of a new apportion-
ment are continued

I. Hill. The committee to inform Isaiah Hill of the con-
informed. clusion of Berwick Monthly Meeting in his case report
he has been informed

The committee to inform Abner Hill of the con-
A. Hill clusion of Berwick Monthly Meeting in his case report
informed. he has been informed

The committee to make out a list of births &
deaths etc. inform that some attention has been paid to
the subject; but not being prepared to make a full
report at this time they are continued

G. W. Read's A request to be taken under the care of Friends
request. is recd. at this time from George W. Read, by way of
Salem Preparative Meeting; Whereupon we appoint
Moses H. Bede, Estes Newhall, Abijah Chase &

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Jonathan Nichols to visit & confer with him on account thereof, & report to our next monthly meeting.

M. H. Beede. Certificate. A certificate of removal from Leeds Monthly Meeting is rec.d at this time in behalf of Moses H Beedy which is accepted.

C. Rodman. L. Bassett. publishe. Lynn Preparative Meeting informs that Caleb Rodman & Lydia Bassett purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; they have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other, & Daniel Johnson & Nathan Breed are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into said Caleb's clearness on that account, & report to our next monthly meeting.

The business being closed at this time, we conclude; purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month.

Fifth Month 1834.

At Salem monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn 8th of 5 mo. 1834.

The representatives from our preparative Meetings are; for Salem Abner Chase & Ichabod Nichols; For Lynn Daniel Johnson, William Bassett, & Nathaniel Walden; who are all present.

The Queries were read at this time with answers thereto, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Seabrook the 22d. Instant; & Estes Newhall, Moses H. Beede, Abijah Chase, Jonathan Nichols, & Nathan Breed are appointed to attend said Meeting as representatives.

The committee in the case of Warren Chase presented the following report by "Agreeably to appointment we

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have several times visited Warren Chase, & treated with him on account of the complaint brought against him, and although he expressed a desire to retain his right in Society, yet we have not discovered a disposition of mind to make suitable sattisfaction for his departure & can see no use in further waiting."

"To Salem monthly meeting of Friends to be held at Lynn" } "Daniel Johnson" "Estes Newhall"
"5 mo. 8th 1834" –

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we
W. Chase disownd. do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society, untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the Committee are continued to give him the information –

The women inform they have concluded to dis-
M. A. B. Kr. disownd. own the right of membership in our Society of Mary Ann B. Keene; with which this meeting unites –

H. Silsbee &c. continued. The committee in the case of Henry Silsbee &c are continued –

The committee in the case of Thos. F. Newhall
T. F. Newhall continued. inform that some attention has been paid to the case, but not being prepared to report at this time they are continued –

The committee in the case of George W. Keene presented the following report viz. – "Agreeably to appointment we have had several interviews with George W. Keene, on the subject of the complaint exhibited against him, and although we find him fully sensible of his deviations from the good order of our Society, & in a degree attached to its principles,

Fifth Month Continued

yet he is not desirous that Friends should wait longer on him, neither do we think that usefullness would result from it.

To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn 8th of 5th mo. 1834

Micajah C. Pratt
James Oliver
Abijah Chase } Committee

G. W. [illegible] disown'd Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

The committee on the subject of a new apportionment are continued.

The committee to make out a list of births & deaths etc, at this time presented a report; & the recorder is requested to copy it into a suitable book, which he is directed to purchase & keep for that purpose.

G. W. Read contin: The Committee to visit & confer with George W. Read on account of his request, inform that some attention has been paid to the case, but not being prepared to make a full report at this time they are Continued.

The committee to make the necessary inquiry into Caleb Rodman's Clearness on account of marriage inform

C. R.[illegible] oversight marriag. they find nothing to obstruct his proceeding therein; He is therefore left at liberty to accomplish the same in the order of our Society; & James Oliver & Daniel Johnson are appointed to have the oversight thereof, & report to our next Monthly Meeting.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Salem

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preparative Meeting is rec.d at this time against Erastus Southwick as follows viz

Complaint against E. Southwick "Erastus Southwick a member of our Society has for want of living under the influence of truth on his own mind which would have preserved him in safety, suffered himself to fall into the pernicious & we believe intemperate use of ardent Spirits, & has nearly left the attendance of our religious meetings; for all which he has been treated with"

"For the Monthly Meeting
to be held at Lynn the
8th of 5 mo. 1834" } "Abner Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Wm H. Chase & Jonathan Nichols to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly meeting.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative meeting is rec.d at this time against Jonathan Leonard as follows viz

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends"

Compl.t against J. Leonard Jonathan Leonard, a member of our society, has for several years past neglected the attendance of our religious meetings. Two or three years since he left this part of the country & resided a while in Baltimore, & during his residence there we are credibly informed, he attended the meetings of the Separatists. we have learned that he has recently left Baltimore & we know of no means of ascertaining his present place of abode

Lynn 4 mo. 29th 1834" "Estes Newhall"
"Nathan Breed"
"Wm Bassett" } "Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Nathan Breed, Daniel Johnson, Abijah Chase & William Bassett to take the subject into consideration & report their views thereon

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at our next monthly Meeting.

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting is also recd. at this time against Alfred F. Rich as follows viz.

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends"

Complt. against F. Rich. Alfred F. Rich a minor, & member of our society, has for some years past almost wholly left the attendance of our religious meetings, & attends those of another society. He has also departed from our well known principles by contributing to a hireling ministry. We have treated with him on account of his deviations"

"Lynn 4 mo. 29. 1834"

"Nathan Breed"
"William Bassett} Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Samuel Boyce & Micajah C. Pratt to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next monthly Meeting.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn on 4th before the second 5th day in next month.

Sixth Month 1834.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 6 mo. 1834.

The representatives from our preparative meetings are, for Salem Solomon Varney & Daniel Osborne; for Lynn Jonathan Conner & Daniel Johnson; who are all present.

ertificate D. Newhall A certificate of removal from East Hoosick Monthly Meeting, State of New York, is recd. at this time on behalf of Daniel Newhall; which is accepted.

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E. Jenkins & family Certificate

A certificate of removal from Berwick Monthly Meeting is rec.d at this time on behalf of Edward Jenkins & family which is accepted.

W. Chase Informed

The committee to inform Warren Chase of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

H. Silsbee Jr. Continued

The committee to visit Henry Silsbee Jr are continued.

T. F. Newhall Continued

The committee in the case of Thomas F. Newhall at this time presented a report, together with an acknowledgement from him; both of which not meeting the concurrence of the women are deferred until another month for the unity of their meeting.

G. W. Read Informed

The committee to inform G. W. Read of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed.

The committee on the subject of a new apportionment are continued & requested to report as way may open.

Report G. W. Read

The committee to visit & confer with George W. Read on account of his request presented the following report viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have had several interviews with George W. Read on the subject of his request, and it is our judgment that he is sincere in his desire to become a member with us, & that it is his earnest wish to be enabled to live consistently with the principles professed by our society; In all our interviews with him he has manifested a strong attachment to the peculiar doctrines of Friends; we are therefore of opinion that it will be safe to receive him into membership with us, that the benefits of society may be extended toward him."

Sixth Month Continued

"To the Monthly Meeting to } "Estes Newhall"
be held at Lynn the 11th Instant} "Abijah Chase"
"Jonathan Nichols"
"Moses H. Beede"

J. W. Reed Which after deliberation is accepted; and he is
received. therefore with the concurrence of the women rec^d.
a member of our Society; and the committee are
continued to give him the information

The committee to have the oversight of Caleb
Rodman's marriage inform they attended & it was
conducted orderly, & the certificate has been left
with the recorder

E. Southwick The committee to visit Erastus Southwick
continued inform they have attended to their appointment,
but having no report to make at this time they
are continued

J. Leonard. The committee in the case of Jonathan Leonard
continued. are Continued

A. F. Rich. The committee to visit Alfred F. Rich are
continued Continued

A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn
compt. Preparative Meeting is rec^d. at this time as follows
B. H. Gould. viz "Benjamin H. Gould a member of our Society
for want of attention to that principle which would
have preserved him from evil, has indulged in
the frequent & oft times intemperate use of Spirituous
liquors & has for some time past wholly left
the attendance of our religious meetings, on which
accounts he has several times been treated with"

"To the Monthly Meeting" } "Estes Newhall"
"at Lynn 6mo. 11th 1834" } "Nathan Breed"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson & William

Sixth Month Continued

Bassett to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next Monthly Meeting.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time next month.

Seventh Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Salem 10th of 7 mo. 1834.

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are; for Salem John Buxton Jr. & David Osborne; for Lynn William Breed & Daniel Johnson who are present.

Certificate
J. Keene. A certificate of removal from Rich Square Monthly Meeting state of North Carolina is recd. at this time on behalf of Josiah Keene; which is accepted.

H. S. Jr.
continued. The committee to visit Henry Silsbee Jr are continued.

T. F. Newhall
continued. The report of the committee in the case of Thomas F. Newhall together with the acknowledgement from him, which were defered last month for the unity of the women; are again defered untill another month for the concurrence of their meeting.

G. W. Read
informed. The committee to inform George W. Read of his being recd. into membership with us report he has been informed.

E. Southwick.
Continued. The committee to visit Erastus Southwick are Continued.

J. Leonard.
continued. The committee in the case of Jonathan Leonard are continued.

Seventh Month Continued

A. F. Rich Con^td The committee to visit Alfred F. Rich are continued

B. A. Gould continued. The committee to visit Benjamin A. Gould are continued

Complaint Isaac Coale. Complaints from the overseers are rec^d at this time against Isaac Coale & William Amos Tyson as follows viz "Isaac Coale, a member of this meeting, formerly of Boston, & now residing in Baltimore, whilst within our limits neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & married contrary to our discipline; we are informed that since his removal he has neglected to attend the meetings of our Society"

"Lynn 7 mo. 2^d 1834"
"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends"

"Estes Newhall"
"Nathan Breed"
"William Bassett" "overseers"

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends"

Complaint W. A. Tyson "William Amos Tyson a member of this meeting formerly of Boston, during his residence within our limits, neglected the attendance of our religious meetings, & formed a connexion in marriage out of the order of our Society — He some time since removed to Baltimore & we are informed that he still neglects to attend the meetings of Friends"

"Lynn 7 mo. 2 1834"

"Estes Newhall"
"Nathan Breed"
"William Bassett"
"overseers"

both of which the clerk is directed to forward to Baltimore Monthly Meeting & request them to visit them on our behalf & inform us the result

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next Month

Eighth Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 14th of 8 mo. 1834

The representatives from our preparative Meetings are for Salem Enoch Paige, Solomon Varney, & Jonathan Nichols; For Lynn Daniel Johnson, John Gove, & James Purinton; who are all present

D. & A. Clark present. Our Beloved Friend Dougan Clark with his wife Asenath Clark attended this meeting with certificates from Marlboro Monthly Meeting Randolph County State of North Carolina dated 8 mo. 8th 1833, Endorsed by Southern Quarterly Meeting Randolph County, held the 24th of the same month, & certificates from the meeting of Ministers & Elders held at New Garden 6th of the 11 mo. all expressive of their unity with them in their prospects of religious service amongst us; Their company & Gospel labours among us have been acceptable

D. Cope present. Our Esteemed Friend Deborah Cope companion to Asenath Clark also attended this meeting; with a copy of a minute from Birmingham Monthly Meeting, Chester County, Pennsylvania, whose company has been acceptable

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto, from which a summary is prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 21st Instant & Abijah Chase, Jonathan Nichols, Nathan Breed, & Charles Chase are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives

P. Purinton certificate. A certificate of removal from Rich Square Monthly Meeting State of North Carolina is recd. at this time on behalf of Palatiah Purinton Jr; which is accepted

S. A. Thompson disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Sarah Ann Thompson with which this meeting unites.

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Our beloved Friend Moses H. Beede spread before
M. H. Beede this meeting a prospect which had for some months
concern. past rested on his mind, of making a religious visit
to friends & some others, within the limits of Seabrook
Monthly Meeting; Also of attending (Dover Qy. meeting)
to be held next at Berwick & of appointing a few meetings in that neighberhood; which claiming the solid
consideration of this meeting, is united with; He being
a minister in good esteem among us, the Clerk is directed
to furnish him with a copy of this minute.

H. Silsbee Jr. The committee in the case of Henry Silsbee Jr are
continued. Continued.

E. Southwick The committee in the case of Erastus Southwick are
continued. Continued.

J. Leonard. The committee in the case of Jonathan Leonard
continued. are Continued.

A. T. Rich. The committee to visit Alfred T. Rich are con-
continued. tinued.

The committee to visit Benjamin A. Gould, inform
B. A. Gould that some attention has been paid to the case; but not
continued. being prepared to report at this time, they are continued

The following report of the committee in the case
of Thomas F. Newhall, which together with his ack-
T. F. N.'s nowledgment were defered from last Monthly Meeting
report. for the unity of the women, having at this time obtained
their concurrence are both accepted viz. "Agreeably
to appointment we have treated with Thomas F. Newhall
on account of the complaint brought against him;
and after hearing his views he appeared to us sensible
of his transgression, & seemed to be disposed to make
friends such sattisfaction, as the circumstances of his case
should require, & we believe he is sincere in requesting
Friends to pass by his offence, & restore him again to

Eighth Month Continued

the order of Society; he has put a paper of acknowledgement into our hands which we forward to the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th Instant

James Purinton
Charles Chase
Jonathan Nichols } Committee

J. F. Newhall restored. And he is accordingly restored to the priviledges of our Society; & the committee appointed in his case are requested to give him the information

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time next month

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Ninth Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 9 mo 1834

The representatives from* our* preparative meetings are fr Salem Jonathan Nichols & Enoch Paige; For Lynn Joseph P. Breed & Moses Breed; who are all present

A. Jones & family certificate. A certificate of removal from Dover Monthly Meeting is recd. at this time on behalf of Abner Jones & family; which is accepted

H. Silsbee Jr. continued. The committee in the case of Henry Silsbee Jr are continued

E. Southwick continued. The committee in the case of Erastus Southwick are continued

The committee in the case of Jonathan Leonard presented the following report viz. "The committee in the case of Jonathan Leonard report — That, having since their appointment, ascertained that he was resid-

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ing at Pittsburgh Penn^{a}., they have by writing communicated with him in relation to the subjects noticed in the complaint of the overseers; He virtually admits the charges against him to be correct, but does not evince a disposition to make suitable sattisfaction therefor, neither does he manifest a wish to retain his right of membership in our Society" —

"Under these circumstances we think that further labour from us will be unavailing" —

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends 9 mo. 11th 1874" } "David Johnson"
"Nathan Breed"
"William Tapsett"
"Committee"

Lanier disowned — Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our Society, untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information —

A. F. Rich continued — The committee in the case of Alfred F. Rich are continued —

The committee to visit Benjamin H Gould presented the following report viz — "Agreeably to

Report B. H. Gould — appointment we have visited & treated with Benjamin H Gould on account of the complaint exhibited against him; So far from acknowledging any regret for his misconduct & departure from moral rectitude he attempts to justify himself therein. His disposition of mind is such that we think there is no prospect of benifit from further labour, as he not only manifests a disregard for our Society & its principles, but affects a disbelief in the truths of revelation, & even in the existence of a Supreme Being" —

Ninth Month Continued

"To Salem Monthly Meeting of } "Daniel Johnson"
Friends 9 mo. 11th 1834" } "William Bassett"
"Committee"

B. G. Gould discouned. Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

A. M. Pratt. received. The women inform they have concluded to receive Ann Maria Pratt into membership with us with which this meeting unites.

T. H. Newhall informed. The committee to inform Thomas H Newhall of the conclusion of this meeting in this case report he has been informed.

P. Purinton & E. Keen published. Lynn Preparative Meeting informs that Palatiah Purinton Jr & Elizabeth H Keen purpose publishing their intentions of marriage with each other before this meeting; They have accordingly appeared & declared their intentions of marriage with each other; & Daniel Johnson & Nathan Breed are appointed to make the necessary inquiry into Palatiah's clearness on that account, & report to our next Monthly Meeting.

A communication from our Quarterly Meeting with advices from our Last Yearly Meeting is recd at this time as follows viz,

"At Salem Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 21st of 8 mo. 1834.

Advice on the subject of education. Advices from our last Yearly Meeting on the subject of education have been received & read at this time together with Queries to be answered by our preparative

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, held on Rhode-Island, Sixth Month, 1834.

The Annual Report of the Boarding School Committee was received and read, and being satisfactory to this Meeting, copies thereof were directed to be forwarded to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings.

During the consideration of the Report, a deep feeling of interest for the best welfare of the Institution was spread over the Meeting; and while the benefits that have already resulted from it, to the children and youth of the Society, were freely acknowledged, an earnest solicitude was expressed, that the Committee, in the discharge of the important and arduous trust confided to them by the Yearly Meeting, may be encouraged steadily to keep in view the great objects which led to the establishment of the School, as a means for promoting the acquisition of useful learning, in connexion with the moral and religious improvement of the Children, consistently with the principles and testimonies which we as a Society believe ourselves called upon to maintain.

The recommendation of the Committee relative to plainness and simplicity of attire, was cordially united with; the Committees of Monthly Meetings were encouraged to extend an increasing care in this respect; and Parents and others having the charge of Children, were impressively exhorted to lend their assistance in promoting this desirable object.

From the Minutes of the Yearly Meeting,

ABRAHAM SHEARMAN, Jr. *Clerk.*

TO THE YEARLY MEETING.

The Boarding School Committee report, That they have endeavoured to discharge the services confided to them by the Yearly Meeting, during the past year, in attending to the various concerns of the Institution; which have been conducted to a good degree of satisfaction.

Meetings have been regularly continued, and harmony has been preserved. The average number of scholars has been one hundred and sixty-eight; seventeen of whom have been pupils in the department of the School for instruction in Languages, &c. The School is continued under the immediate superintendence of Enoch and Lydia Breed, in which capacity they are assisted by Stephen and Hannah Gould. John Griscom is still usefully employed to superintend the literary department of the Institution. Moses A. Cartland, Pliny Earl and Jonathan Slocum are employed as Teachers in the Boys' School; and Deborah Ramsdell, Mary H. Griscom, Caroline Cartland, Martha Barker and Anna T. Lockwood in the Girls'. Jamuel J. Gummere is continued in charge of the department for Languages, &c.

The accounts of the Treasurer and Superintendent have been examined and settled; and the Committee propose that the terms of admission be continued the same as last year; and that the privilege of sending one child, six months, *free of expense,* be continued to Monthly Meetings. Friends are requested not to neglect the established regulation of the School, that the expense of *each* quarter be paid in *advance.*

The Committee believe it proper again to recommend to Friends, in sending their Children to the School, to observe, as much as may be, the periods of time proposed two years since, viz. at the time of our Yearly Meeting, or in the first week of the second, fifth, eighth and eleventh months.

The importance of maintaining plainness of dress in the inmates of this Institution, has often claimed the serious attention of the Committee; and we think it right at this time to revive with Friends the necessity of having their children habited in plain attire, and that no articles of apparel, unsuitable through want of plainness, be brought by them to the School. And that the Committees of Monthly Meetings may be enabled to render the necessary advice and assistance, Friends are requested to be careful to make application to them for certificates, in sufficient season to afford them this opportunity.

In reviewing the state of the School for the past year, we feel bound gratefully to acknowledge, that the family and scholars have been preserved in health; and that the Institution continues to afford encouraging evidence of its usefulness to the youth of our Society.

Signed on behalf of the School Committee, at a Meeting held 2d of 5th month, 1834,

WILLIAM JENKINS, *Clerk.*

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New-England, held on Rhode-Island,

Sixth Month, 1834.

The subject of the guarded, literary and religious instruction of the children and youth of the Society, having again been feelingly adverted to, claimed the solid consideration of the Meeting; and the importance of being possessed of a more intimate knowledge of the present state of Education among Friends, in the various sections of this Yearly Meeting, being generally felt, a Committee was appointed, to unite with a Committee of the Women's Meeting, in considering the subject, and to report thereon at a future sitting.

At a subsequent sitting, the Committee introduced the following minutes of advice to subordinate Meetings; which being deliberately considered, were adopted, the Women's Meeting uniting therein, and the Clerk was directed to forward a sufficient number of copies thereof to our several Quarterly Meetings, for the supply of each Monthly and Preparative Meeting, within their respective limits; and also the necessary forms for the returns proposed to be made to this Meeting.

From the Minutes of the Yearly Meeting.

ABRAHAM SHEARMAN, Jr. *Clerk.*

The interesting concerns of Education having renewedly claimed the weighty deliberation of the Yearly Meeting, it is the earnest desire of the body thus assembled, that Friends may endeavor, wherever it is practicable, to establish select Schools within their Preparative or Monthly Meetings, (to be taught by exemplary members of our Society,) in which the children of Friends may be exempt from the dangers arising from improper associations, and moral and religious principles, in conformity to our Christian profession, be duly inculcated; the Scriptures of the Old and New Testament be daily read; and such improved methods of instruction be adopted, as will best promote their advancement in useful learning. These Schools should be visited monthly, or oftener, by Committees of men and women Friends appointed by the Meeting, before whom the Children should be exercised in the several branches taught in the School. And in those places where it appears to be impracticable to establish Preparative or Monthly Meeting Schools, it is desired that Friends may endeavor to institute Family Schools, in which the Children of one or more Families may daily assemble for literary instruction, by some Teacher qualified to impart it. And Friends are every where desired to exercise a becoming liberality in providing Teachers and means of instruction in all their Schools.

To keep alive a concern of such vital importance to our social and religious welfare, and that the Yearly Meeting may be furnished with correct information relative thereto, Preparative Meetings are directed to transmit to their respective Monthly Meetings, a statement of the number of Children within their limits, agreeably to the subjoined Queries, and insert their answers in the several columns of the form accompanying; which returns are to be forwarded by the Monthly to the Quarterly Meetings; and a condensed statement of the facts thus collected, to be prepared by the Clerks of the Quarterly Meetings, or by a Committee appointed for that purpose, and forwarded with their next annual accounts to this Meeting.

Queries to be answered by the Preparative Meetings.

1st. What number of Children are there in your Meeting, of an age suitable for instruction, at School, say from *four* to *twenty-one* years of age? Distinguishing between male and female, and also distinguishing between those *under* the age of *fourteen*, and those *over* that age.

2d. What number of Children have been actually at School within the year? Distinguishing between male and female, and also between those under fourteen, and those over that age.

3d. What number of Schools have been kept under the care of Friends, in your Meeting, during the past year? Distinguishing between Preparative Meeting, Monthly Meeting and Family Schools.

4th. What has been the average duration of the Schools under the care of Friends, within the year?

5th. What number of Teachers have been employed in *these* Schools, within the year? Distinguishing between male and female Teachers.

6th. What number of Children are there in your Meeting who have attended District or mixed Schools? Distinguishing between male and female, and also between those under the age of fourteen, and those over that age.

7th. Is there care taken that the Books used in the Schools under the care of Friends, in the several departments taught in the Schools, are judiciously selected.

[☞Preparative Meetings are requested to prepare Answers to these Queries, in sufficient season for such Anwsers to be forwarded to the Quarterly Meetings that will be held in the fourth and fifth months, next year.]

6 mo. 1834.

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In this column insert the name of the Meeting for which the answers are intended.	No. of Children of an age suitable for instruction at School.				No. of Children actually at School within the year.				Number of Schools.			Average duration of Schools within the year	Number of Teachers Members of Society.		Number of Children who attend district or mixed schools.			
	Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Preparative Meeting Schools.	Monthly Meeting Schools.	Family Schools.		Male.	Female.	Male.		Female.	
	under 14	over 14	under 14	over 14	under 14	over 14	under 14	over 14							under 14	over 14	under 14	over 14

Meetings; The Clerk is directed to forward Copies thereof to our Subordinate Meetings; & our several Monthly Meetings are requested to transmit the returns of their Preparative Meetings to this meeting in the Fifth Month next.

This meetings proportion of Yearly Meeting Stock for the present year being one Hundred & Thirty Seven Dollars & Fifty cts, our several Monthly Meetings are directed to pay their respective proportions thereof to the Treasurer of this meeting.

Salem Monthly Meeting's proportion is Fifty Five Dollars." "Signed on behalf of said Quarterly Meeting"
(see printed copies) "William Buffett Clk"

And the Clerk is directed to forward copies of the advice respecting education to our preparative meetings & request them to make their returns to this meeting at the time proposed.

A Communication from (Dover Monthly Meeting) held at Rochester 2 mo. 26th is received at this time, informing that our friend Sophronia Page in the course of her religious visit among them attended that meeting; & that her company & religious services among them were acceptable & edifying.

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended.

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Salem at the usual time in next Month.

Tenth Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Salem 9th of 10 mo. 1834

The representatives from our Preparative meetings are for Salem Abner Chase & Jonathan Nichols; for Lynn William Bassett & Daniel Johnson; who are present

The Queries have been read at this time with the required answers thereto, from which a Summary has been prepared for the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Weare the 16th Instant; & Jonathan Nichols, Charles Chase, Enoch Paige, Abijah Chase, & Nathan Breed are appointed to attend said meeting as representatives

H. Pilsbee Jr. The committee in the case of Henry Pilsbee Jr
continued. are continued

E. Southwick The committee in the case of Erastus Southwick
continued. are continued & desired to report as way
may open

The committee to inform Jonathan Leonard
J. Leonard of the conclusion of this meeting in his case inform
informed that the necessary care has been taken in this respect

A. F. Rich. The committee in the case of Alfred F. Rich
continued. are continued

The committee to inform Benjamin H. Gould
B. H. Gould of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report
informed he has been informed

The committee to make the necessary inquiry
P. Purinton into the clearness of Palatiah Purinton Jr on account
at liberty of marriage inform they find nothing to obstruct
to marry. his proceeding therein; he is therefore left at liberty
to accomplish the same in the order of our society;
& John B. Chase & James Oliver are appointed to

Tenth Month Continued

have the oversight thereof & report to our next Monthly Meeting.

D. Clough requests a Certificate

Lynn Preparative Meeting informs that David Clough requests a certificate to Berwick Monthly Meeting to accomplish marriage; & being informed that he has so far proceeded therein, as to render it necessary to receive said certificate previous to our next Monthly Meeting, it is concluded at his request that this meeting be adjourned to the 15th Instant, to Lynn, to meet at the close of the week day Meeting for this certificate to be produced; & Estes Newhall & James Purinton are appointed to prepare one & present at that time for approbation.

The committee on the subject of Schools & libraries are continued & desired to report at our next Monthly Meeting.

Liberty to dispose of Lan

Friends of Lynn Preparative Meeting have at this time requested liberty to dispose of some pasture land belonging to that meeting; which receiving the approbation of this meeting, they accordingly have the liberty granted them; & the overseers are directed to make conveyance of the same by suitable deeds after the sale is effected.

Adjourned to meet again in Lynn on the 15th Instant at the close of the week day Meeting.

15th of 10 mo. Friends met at Lynn according to adjournment.

The Clerk being absent James Oliver was appointed clerk for the day.

The representatives being called but one was present.

The committee to prepare a certificate for

3 David Clough to

Tenth Month Continued

Berwick Monthly Meeting to accomplish marriage presented one; which being approved the Clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of the meeting.

The business being closed at this time we Conclude, purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next Month.

Eleventh Month 1834.

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 13th of 11 mo. 1834.

The representatives from our preparative Meetings are for Salem Daniel Osborn & Stephen Nichols; for Lynn Joseph B. Breed & Nathaniel Walden who are all present.

The committee in the case of Henry Silsbee Jr presented the following report viz. Agreeable to appointment we have several times treated with Henry Silsbee Jr & advised with him as way opened; and notwithstanding he has deviated from the order of discipline in marriage as set forth in the complaint, still it appeared to us that his attachment to society accompanied with a sincere desire not to be disowned will recommend him to our Sympathy & tender regard.

He has put a paper of acknowledgement into our hands which we forward to the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 13th Instant.

James Purinton
Samuel Neal

H. Silsbee Jr. restored. Also the acknowledgment from him; both of which are accepted; & he is accordingly with the concurrence of the women restored to the priveledges of our society; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

The committee in the case of Alfred T. Rich presented the following report viz—

"Agreeable to appointment one of us has visited & treated with Alfred F. Rich on account of the complaint exhibited against him. He acknowledges his departure from the order of our Society, but manifests no disposition to make friends sattisfaction therefor neither does he desire to be continued a member— We think any further labour from us would be unavailing—

To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn 13th of 11mo. 1834 } M. C. Pratt
Samuel Boyce
Committee

Which after deliberation is accepted; & we do therefore Rich with the concurrence of the women deny him the right disowned of membership in our Society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

The committee to have the oversight of the marriage of Palatiah Purinton &c inform they attended & it was conducted orderly; & care has been taken respecting the certificate—

The committee on the subject of Schools & Libraries presented the following report, viz—

To Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends—

mmittee "The committee appointed in the 10th Month last year on Schools on the subject of schools & Libraries Report— That soon Libraries after their appointment their attention was directed to the reports establishment of a school within the limits of Salem Preparative Meeting, one having been for several years established at Lynn under the direction of Lynn Preparative Meeting— The committee succeeded in making the necessary arrangements & in the Fourth Month last

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one was opened in Danvers under the care of Jayne
Nichols under whose instruction it has been continued
School at Salem. through the season. The appearance of this School has
been sattisfactory to the committee, & we believe that
benifit has resulted from the undertaking; We are of
opinion however that it will be best to discontinue it
during the winter as many of the children reside a con-
siderable distance therefrom; The whole number of
Scholars has been 28; & all the Expense thereof for Six
Months ending the first of the present month, has been
98 Dolls; to cancel which the committee have antici-
pated the income of the Legacy of Allice Needham.

School at Lynn. The School at Lynn has consisted of two depart-
ments – the principal one at the time of our appoint-
ment was under the care of Anna D. Smith – Subse-
quently Enoch Hoag was employed for a few Months
but he left some time since & the vacancy thus occa-
sioned has not been filled – measures however are
in progress to procure a teacher – the primary school
has been during the year under the care of Lydia G.
Keene – The number of scholars in both has been about
50 – & the expense thereof has been paid by the parents
of the Scholars; the price for tuition being one shilling
pr week in the principal & & Nine pence in the primary.

A Subscription for a library has been opened
Arrangemts made for opening library at Lynn. by Friends of Lynn Preparative meeting, who have
Subscribed about 375 Dolls for that purpose, most of
which has been collected; Some books have been purchased
& more will soon be added; & arrangements are making
for the opening of the Library which will probably be ef-
fected within a few weeks;

No progress has been yet made in the establishment
of a library for Salem Preparative Meeting; owing to some

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circumstances which were explained to the satisfaction of the committee; but friends of that meeting have been encouraged to proceed therein as soon as way may open ....

Wm H. Chase
Samuel Boyce
Nathan Breed
Avis Keene
on behalf of the Committee"

which being satisfactory to the meeting is accepted; And the trustees of Alice Needham's legacy are directed to pay the sum specified which has been expended for the support of the School at Danvers from the income of said Legacy —— Said committee are continued & are desired to take the necessary care respecting Schools & libraries, & to have the general oversight & supervision thereof for one year; And James Oliver, Moses H. Beede, & George W. Read are appointed in addition thereto. ——

Complt. G. Smith. A complaint from the overseers by way of Lynn Preparative Meeting, is received at this time against George Smith as follows viz; "George Smith a member of our Society, has for a long time wholly left the attendance of our religious meeting, & attends meetings of another society; & has also contributed towards the support of a hireling ministry; for which he has been treated with.
To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 13th Instant" —

"James Purinton"
"Nathan Breed"
"Overseers"

Whereupon we appoint Daniel Johnson & Samuel Boyce to visit & treat with him on account thereof & report to our next Monthly Meeting ——

A communication from Dover Qr. Meeting is recd. at this time informing that our Friend Moses

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N. H. Beede atd: minute H. Beede in the course of his late religious visit among them attended their Meeting at North Berwick in the 9 mo. & that his company & gospel labours were acceptable

B. Breed jr. deferred. A communication from Dover Monthly Meeting is received at this time, respecting Benjamin Breed jr. which is defered untill another month for further Consideration

Sattisfactory reasons are at this time offered for the absence of a part of the representatives at the adjournment of our last Monthly Meeting

The representatives to our last Quarterly Meeting inform they all attended

The business being closed at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in Lynn at the usual time in next month

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Twelfth Month 1834

At Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn 11th of 12 mo. 1834

The representatives from our preparative meetings are for Salem George W. Read & Daniel Osborne, For Lynn Benajah Purinton & James Purinton who are present

H. Silsbee jr. informed. The committee to inform Henry Silsbee jr. of his being restored to membership report he has been informed

A. F. Rich informed. The committee to inform Alfred F. Rich of the conclusion of this meeting in his case report he has been informed

The committee in the case of George Smith presented the following report; viz. "Agreeably to appointment we have visited & treated with George Smith on account of the complaint brought against him; He admitted it to be correct & manifested no disposition to make sattisfaction for his departure from our Christian principles; but endeavoured to justify himself in the course he had taken & did not wish friends to wait longer on him. We think any further labour from us would be unavailing. To the Monthly Meeting to be held at Lynn the 11th Instant".

"Daniel Johnson"
"Samuel Boyce"
"Committee"

G. Smith disowned. Which after deliberation thereon is accepted; & we do therefore with the concurrence of the women deny him the right of membership in our society untill he shall return & make friends sattisfaction for his outgoings; which we desire he may be favoured to do; & the committee are continued to give him the information.

Communication respecting B. Breed &c. The communication from Dover Monthly Meeting which was recd last month respecting Benjamin Breed &c being again read, the clerk is directed to place it upon file, & request that Monthly Meeting to continue their care in the case & inform this meeting the result thereof, as soon as they are able to come to a final decision.

Anna Alley disowned. The women inform they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Anna Alley with which this meeting unites. & Daughter of James Alley

A. Percival disowned. The women also inform that they have concluded to disown the right of membership in our society of Ann Percival; with which this meeting unites.

This meeting is informed that John Buxton Jr re-

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quests a certificate of removal for himself & family to Weare Monthly Meeting; Whereupon we appoint Enoch Paige & Daniel C. Stow to unite with the women in preparing one & present it at our next monthly meeting for approbation.

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Samuel Rogers,
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